

WEATHER FORECAST
The barometer remains low over this province, and showers with weather has been general on the coast. Rain is again reported in Manitoba, accompanied by high winds.

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LEASE OF FIVE YEARS LIKELY

City Council Will Be Asked Monday Night to Grand Control of Fair at Willows to B.C. Agricultural Body

CITY MAY RESERVE RACING PRIVILEGE

Colwood Park and B.C. Agricultural Bodies in Agreement—Calling for Bids for Racing Licence Proposed

THE British Columbia Agricultural Association will receive a five-year lease on the Exhibition grounds at the Willows, and the city will reserve the racing privilege, the City Council on Monday night put into effect a recommendation which will be made to it from a special committee representing the B.C. Agricultural body, the Colwood Park Association and the City Council, which met yesterday.

The civic public works committee met in the City Council Chamber yesterday afternoon, together with the other Council members, and heard representations from both the B.C. Agricultural Association and the Colwood Park Association concerning their respective offers regarding the future of the Willows grounds.

On the proposal of Aldermen Holmes and Marchant, it was decided to refer the entire question to a special committee, which would have the duty of drafting an agreement that would be satisfactory to all parties concerned. Alderman E. S. Woodward, chairman of the public works body, was named as one of the members. Alderman R. A. C. Dewar was chosen as the Council representative. Hon. T. G. Coventry, M.P.P., and Mr. Percy Fox for the Colwood Park Association, and President W. H. Munroe and Secretary W. H. Mearns for the Agricultural Association.

Recommendations to Council
This special committee went into session immediately after the public works meeting adjourned, and decided on certain proposals that it would present to the City Council on Monday evening next.

The B.C. Agricultural Association will be prepared to alter its offer to the city by reducing the term of the free lease sought from ten to five years. The organization also wishes the annual \$5,000 grant maintained, and wants the city to contribute during the coming year dollar for dollar up to the sum of \$5,000 with the association, the money to be expended in securing necessary buildings and extensions at the grounds.

The Colwood Park Association, on the other hand, is also willing to change its offer from a ten-year to a five-year term of lease. It is quite willing to waive its offer to conduct the Fall fair in favor of a five-year lease to the B.C. Agricultural Association on the Willows grounds, providing the city reserves the racing privileges and tenders for these are called.

Call for Tenders
Members of the committee felt that there should be at least six days of racing at the Willows during the Fall fair, and will ask the City Council that tenders be called for the racing privileges for one year and also for a five-year period.

Representatives of both associations agreed that the racing privilege should be under the joint control of the City Council and B.C. Agricultural Association, the association to call for bids and the tenders to be opened by the Council in the presence of officials of the association.

The City Council will be asked to support the proposal that legalized automatic betting be permitted.

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from the Colonist Tower
Saturday, October 2
25th day, 1926
THE WEATHER
Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; mostly cloudy and mild.
Sun Rises: 6:13 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 5:52 o'clock.
High Tide: 2:45 p.m., 8.1 feet.
Low Tide: 9:45 a.m., 3.4 feet.
Deep-Sea Shipping
Arrival—President Grant, from Orient, at 7:30 a.m.

The News
Local and Provincial—Gasoline price war may spread to Victoria.
Court of revision orders increase in assessment on business property. Council appoints Mr. Roger Pinneo to survey port possibilities.
Argentine rancher visits city in course of tour in search of high-grade dairy stock.
Wednesday Half-Holiday Association in formed to preserve present system.
Five-year lease on Willows to B.C. Agricultural Association is recommendation of committee.
Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—Imperial Conference will deal with Dominions' foreign relations.
Lord Willingdon arrives at Quebec.
Plot against Shah of Persia near success.
Flaming steamship races for port.
Sir Thomas White and Conservative leadership.
Mr. Coggan suggested as international secretary.
Argentina to send Polar expedition.
Method of limiting armaments under discussion.
Canton boycott to end October 15.
Waves in typhoon strike lighthouse summit and move stones there.

Viscount Willingdon and Lady Willingdon



New Governor-General Arrives in St. Lawrence

Liner Docks at Quebec Early Today, and Lord Willingdon Will Be Sworn In at Ancient City During the Morning

ON BOARD THE SS. EMPRESS OF QUEBEC, Oct. 1.—(C. P. staff correspondent): "It gives me great happiness to return to Canada."

This was the simple expression spoken by Canada's next Governor-General, Viscount Willingdon, to a staff correspondent of the Canadian Press who had boarded the liner bearing the viceregal party at Pather Point tonight.

The liner will dock at Quebec early tomorrow morning and the ceremony of swearing in the new Governor-General will be performed in the forenoon.

Lord Willingdon chatted cordially with the press representatives who are accompanying the party up the St. Lawrence.

They had a pleasant crossing, and at no time during the voyage had the distinguished passengers been the object of any but the most courteous observation. Their pleasant presence had delighted their fellow travelers, with whom they mingled in the most unassuming fashion.

Lord Willingdon felt that as yet it was too early for him to grant any formal interviews.

QUEBEC, Oct. 1.—Quebec City began today its preparations for the reception of the new Governor-General, who will arrive tomorrow.

Along the route which Viscount Willingdon will traverse tomorrow, the streets are decorated with appropriate hunting and foliage. Hotels are crowded with visitors from other parts of Canada.

Tonight a special train brought the official party of welcome from Ottawa. Chief Justice P. A. Anglin, temporarily the Administrator of the Dominion; Mr. Justice McRae, who will administer the oath to the new Governor-General tomorrow; Mr. Justice Newcombe and Mr. Justice Rinfret, of the Supreme Court of Canada, are in the party.

Premier King has brought most of his cabinet. Senior officers of the fighting forces and other officials of public life are here. Premier King was "chaired" from the station platform to his automobile, and when he arrived at his hotel he found all the official life of Quebec assembled to welcome him.

An organized effort was launched last evening in the direction of combating any attempt to alter the system of the Wednesday half holiday as it exists in the city at the present time. The meeting was one called for the purpose of taking action in opposition to a resolution passed by the directors of the Chamber of Commerce a short time ago, favoring a change in the situation in the Province with respect to the weekly half holiday.

Before the meeting closed an organization had been effected with duly appointed officers to carry along a fight to maintain the system now in existence. A resolution was passed voicing the opinion of the meeting on the point. This resolution read as follows:

"Resolved, that this mass meeting of merchants and clerks of the city of Victoria place on record its conviction that the Wednesday half holiday at present enjoyed by those engaged in mercantile industry meets with the warm approval of an overwhelming majority of those affected and operates to the advantage of the city as a whole."

Thought Course Hasty
The opinion was expressed at the meeting that the action of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce in passing the resolution was one that might well have been delayed until the retail section of the Chamber had been consulted in the matter. It was further represented that the action was taken with only about one retailer present. The remainder of the members of the directorate were not in touch with the retail situation the meeting alleged.

Alderman Woodward, honorary business agent of the retail clerks, advised against apathy. Those who opposed the half holiday had the ear of the legislators through playing golf with them and through meeting them in the clubs. There was the peril that if those who opposed changing the system did not hear themselves the danger existed that the Legislature might enact legislation obnoxious to them in this respect.

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SEEKING BETTER GRADE DAIRY STOCK

ARGENTINE RANCHER VISITS CANADA AND UNITED STATES ON THIS MISSION

Explains That Herds Require Stimulus From Best Cattle of Other Countries

Making a study of the dairy and beef cattle of Canada and the United States, with a view to import suitable high grade stock into the Argentine Republic, Mr. Elbert Waller is visiting Victoria from Rosario, registered at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. Waller is an extensive ranch owner in the grazing country of the republic, and explains that the farmers have been endeavoring to improve their stock by bringing in grade animals from other parts of the world.

"They have featured the Holstein breed on the ground that while the Jersey has its favorites for milk production, the feeding opportunities of the Argentine ranch lands are more suitable to the Holstein breed, of which he has seen many fine examples in Canada."

Fine Canadian Stock
He has been struck by the fine animals, and from a quality standpoint will recommend them to Argentine ranchmen as well as to those in Canada, but he says to enter the field successfully, there should be better steamship communication with the Argentine ports, preferably direct from British Columbia. This is particularly the case owing to the demand for good fruit, which he says in many cases is not obtainable. Good apples would sell well owing to standardization of pack and uniformity of quality insisted upon in Canadian orchards.

Reverting to the pastoral industry, Mr. Waller says he has been surprised with the small amount of cheese eaten in Canada, as compared with Argentina, where it is a staple article of diet. All classes of cheese are made, and find a ready market in Argentina.

An Industrious People
He explains the reason for the active progress made by the agricultural people in British Columbia, and points out that the limited range of climate, but to the fact that the rural population has not been drawn to the fascinations of the towns, like the Canadian public. Different sections of the Latin nations of Southern Europe having taken up varied sections of farm work, are staying by it, and doing well, and the consequence has been that the industry is making steady progress, and is exporting to Europe in increasing quantities, particularly dairy produce, in which it is able to meet the competition of the Netherlands and Scandinavian countries.

Mr. Waller is making a three-months' tour of the United States and Canada, gathering information with special reference to agricultural production and methods of improving stock. He has been to numerous shows, and met many of the leading stockmen of the continent.

JAPAN WOULD REVISE SEAL FISHERY TREATY

Opinion Expressed That This Should Be Done Before Expiration of Treaty in December

TOKIO, Oct. 1.—The Japanese Government, it was learned today from an authoritative source, is hopeful that the U.S., Great Britain and Russia, will take action on the treaty prohibiting killing of seals in the open waters of the North Pacific before the pact expires December 14. Pelagic sealing in these waters was discontinued many years ago by treaty between the four governments. Japan, it was said today, has no intention of abrogating the treaty and the foreign office still hopes for repairs to its non-compliance, suggesting that the signatories confer for revision of the treaty before its expiration.

TOKIO, Oct. 2.—Although it has been indicated that the government is desirous that the United States, Great Britain and Russia renew the treaty prohibiting the killing of seals in the open waters of the North Pacific, it is understood that certain officials of the Agricultural Department wish for abrogation. The Government understands that if there is no objection made by any of the four Powers signatory to the present agreement, the treaty will continue in force another year, and is not voted December 14 next as has been erroneously stated.

SURVEY OF PORT TO BE EFFECTED

City Council Appoints Mr. Roger D. Pinneo to Promote Development of Shipping and Industrial Projects

HARBOR EXPERT OPENS OFFICE HERE AT ONCE

Mr. Pinneo Will Go After Business to Make City Big Export Centre—Public Bodies and Citizens Back Project

MR. ROGER D. PINNEO, well-known harbor expert, will make a survey during the next three months of Victoria harbor, from Ogdan Point dock facilities and industrial undertakings, and endeavor to secure business that will open up this port as an export centre.

Appointment of Mr. Pinneo to this important task was effected yesterday afternoon by the Victoria City Council, which, by unanimous vote, engaged his services for a period of three months, at a salary of \$625 a month, and expenses necessary to the successful carrying on of his mission.

Mr. Pinneo will open an office at the City Hall immediately, and proceed with his project without any delay. His services have been placed at the disposal of the city of Victoria through the courtesy of Mr. H. F. Alexander, though he will retain his connection with the Pacific Steamship Company and return to his work with the concern on the completion of his contract here.

Adopt Resolution
At the special session of the City Council yesterday, the City Fathers approved the following resolution, which was moved by Alderman P. R. Brown and seconded by Alderman H. G. Holmes:

"Whereas representatives of the Chamber of Commerce, together with a number of ratepayers and citizens of Victoria, met the members of the City Council informally on Wednesday, September 29, 1926, and recommended, with the endorsement of His Worship Mayor J. C. Pendray, that Mr. Roger Pinneo be engaged by the city for the purpose of making a survey of the possibilities for development of Victoria's harbor and Outer Docks;

"Be it therefore resolved that Mr. Roger Pinneo be, and is, hereby appointed for the term commencing October 1, 1926, and expiring December 31, 1926, and at a monthly salary of \$625, to make a survey of Victoria's harbor and Ogdan Point dock facilities and industrial undertakings, and to submit to the City Council recommendations as to the best possible means, in his opinion, of securing the further development of the said harbor and docks."

Expressions of Approval
When the Council convened, with Acting Mayor Marchant presiding, a vote was read from Mayor Pendray, who stated his enthusiastic approval of the proposal of appointing Mr. Pinneo.

VICTORIA PIONEER HAS PASSED AWAY

Mr. William Turpel, Well-Known Shipbuilder, Dies at Age of Eighty-Three

Mr. William Turpel, founder of the Turpel Marine Railway, and for many years connected with shipbuilding in this city, passed away at 4:29 o'clock yesterday afternoon at his home at the age of eighty-three. Mr. Turpel retired from business some twelve or thirteen years ago.

He came to this coast from Nova Scotia many years ago. He lived for some years in San Francisco, and then came to Victoria, establishing the well-known shipyard bearing his name in 1883. In those days Mr. Turpel was one of the very few shipbuilders in British Columbia, and one of the first contractors was the steamer Joan, which was built to the order of Robert Dunsmuir & Sons for the service between Victoria and Nanaimo.

Following this he built several sailing schooners—one for himself, which he named *Adie Turpel* after his daughter. This vessel he equipped and dispatched to the sealing grounds.

The deceased was well known in this city, and was a member of the Masonic craft. After his retirement from active life his two sons and Mr. W. G. Noury carried on the plant, which is still operating.

He leaves to mourn his loss one daughter, *Adie*, who was with him when he died, and two sons, *Ramuel* and *Emerson*. His wife died recently. The body is resting at the McCall Funeral Parlor, at which establishment the funeral service will be held. A Masonic committal service will be held at the grave. The day of the funeral will be announced later.

Shipping in Fraser Makes Record Month

NEW WESTMINSTER, Oct. 1.—September was a record month for shipping on the Fraser River, twenty-two deep-water ships having entered the port during the thirty days. In August twenty-one ships entered, while September, 1925, had a total of sixteen vessels. Since the first of this year there have been 143 ships in the river, compared with 120 for the corresponding period last year.

Conference to Discuss Part of Dominions in Empire Foreign Policy

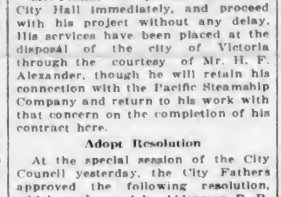
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ARGENTINA TO SEND EXPEDITION TO POLE

Buenos Aires, Oct. 1.—Under the auspices of the Argentine Geographical Institute, and backed financially by the Argentine Government, an expedition is being organized to explore the Antarctic and south polar regions. Antonio Pauly, prominent engineer, will head the party. When the weather permits a flight to the South Pole will be attempted so as to explore 1,750 miles of unknown territory.

An attempt will be made to find documents and other things left at the pole by Captain Robert F. Scott, the British explorer who perished with four members of his party while returning from the pole in 1912.

DINNER PARTY ENDS IN COLONEL'S DEATH

Office of U.S. Marines Plunges Into San Francisco Bay and Sinks With Motor

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 1.—Colonel Alexander B. Williams, United States Marine Corps, one of the most decorated officers of the service, was drowned early this morning when his automobile in which he was driving alone, plunged into San Francisco Bay.

The tragedy was the climax to a dinner party with friends at the exclusive Bohemian Club here, and presumably occurred while he was driving home. The body was identified at the morgue by Mrs. Williams, who is prostrated with shock.

Col. Williams attracted public notice last April when he was convicted on a charge of "drunkenness and conduct unbecoming an officer" at the Marine Barracks at San Diego. The charge was brought against him by another famous officer of the Marine, Brigadier-General Smedley D. Butler. The charge resulted from a party which Colonel Williams gave in General Butler's honor at the Williams home.

Mr. Meighen is in Toronto

TORONTO, Oct. 1.—Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, Conservative leader, is in the city today, and this morning met some of the leading Toronto Conservatives.

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Fels-Naptha Soap, Per bar	7c	
Delicious Sliced Beef in Glass, each	19c	
Underwood's Deviled Ham in tins	19c	
Clark's Cambridge Sausage, tall tins	25c	
Carnation Wheat Flakes, 3-lb. packages	39c	
Minced Sea Clams, per tin	18c	
Pride of Canada Maple Syrup, 2 1/2-lb. tins	75c	
OXO CUBES, Large tins	23c	
CRISCO, Per lb.	24c	
PORK SAUSAGE, Small, Per lb.	30c	
Swift's Silver Leaf Pure Lard, 3 lbs. for	59c	
Fletcher's Side or Back Bacon, Per lb.	45c	
Canadian Mild Cheese, Per lb.	25c	
New Alberta Butter, 3 lbs. for	\$1.10	
Beef Sausage or Minced Beef, 2 lbs. for	25c	
Light Boiling Fowl, Per lb.	24c	
McIntosh Red Apples, Per box	\$1.25	
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Evening Specials in the Fruit Department—Open Every Night

WAVES REACHED UP TO TOP OF LIGHTHOUSE

One Hundred and Forty Feet Above the Normal High Water Mark—Water Moves Storms

HONG KONG, Oct. 1.—Waves thrown more than 140 feet above the normal high water mark with a force that twisted a steel rod and washed away coping stones at the summit of the tall Gaprock lighthouse, sixty miles south of Hong Kong, evidenced the fury with which the elements lashed China's south coast last Monday. As the work of searching for survivors of the typhoon, which early reports indicated may have taken a toll of native life ranging as high as two thousand, continues, amazing stories of the strength of the great storm are brought to light.

Tremendous Force
Eighteen, a half-inch thick, were broken by the waves which went crashing entirely over the top of the Gaprock lighthouse, which towers 140 feet above high water level. On the by which the lighthouse towers were completely wrecked, and the turbulent waters washed bodies of drowned fishermen and the wreckage of the junks high up on the beach beyond.

From Macao, a Portuguese settlement, come reports of further loss of lives at sea. A junk with a heavy cargo and a passenger list of seventy including a bride party arrived off Lappa Sunday, too late to pass the Chinese maritime customs examination. It was as a result, overtaken by the typhoon, the vessel foundered and only fifteen were saved.

The Government rescue tug Kausung has left Hong Kong on an errand of mercy, instructed to cruise the ocean over a radius of 150 miles in search of survivors from the wrecked junks. It is hoped that additional survivors will be found from the hundreds of fishing boats that were caught unawares by the typhoon which bore down upon the coast without warning.

Survey of Port to be Effected
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Pinneo to conduct an investigation on matters concerning port development. A letter from the Real Estate Board of Victoria, endorsing the project, was also received.

Alderman Brown then rose and moved his resolution. He referred to the fact that the appointment of Pinneo for the purpose of conducting a survey of the harbor and shipping facilities made, I feel that Mr. Pinneo should also make a survey of the industrial possibilities of getting a tannery, glass factory, woolen mills here. I suggest that something to this effect be included in the resolution.

Port Question Comes First
Alderman Cuthbert Brown, in seconding Alderman Brown's motion, said that the survey of the port of Victoria would include the industrial question. Mr. Pinneo would undoubtedly work along these lines, he said. However, the port question must come first, and a number of things in connection with harbor matters must be cleared up.

"We can't do all these things, and conduct a special industrial survey all in three months. We are only engaging Mr. Pinneo for that length of time. I have no doubt, though, that Mr. Pinneo will look into all these things while he is on the job," said Alderman Holmes.

Alderman Woodward extended that if the Council engaged Mr. Pinneo for a period of three months, the 1927 Council would be morally bound to continue his services, if his work was not completed at the end of the year. Also, while it was proposed that the Council vote the sum of \$4,000 for this port development survey work, \$1,475 only covered the matter of salary of the appointee, and there remained a balance of \$2,525. How was that money to be expended?

Suggests Deferring Action
That he doubted the wisdom of voting money and telling the Comptroller to find it, was Alderman William Marchant's statement. He could not see the need for any great haste in the matter. Taxes would be paid by October 15, and if the Council deferred action on the appointment until November 1, it would see in what position the city was financially. It was a cardinal principle of the Finance Committee not to vote money until it was known against which vote it would be charged.

Alderman Mars urged the Council to engage Mr. Pinneo's services with the minimum of delay.
"It would be much better if we had a place to charge this \$4,000 expense item, I quite agree, but let me ask what we would do if we had to vote say \$3,000 for the unemployed, and we would have to take the same action as we are doing today," said Alderman Brown.

Continuing, Alderman Brown said that the survey of the port would assist Alderman Harvey in getting his woolen mills.
"Perhaps you are pulling the wool over his eyes," jocularly interjected Alderman Marchant.

Reason for \$4,000 Expense Money
Alderman Brown explained that the reason the sum of \$4,000 was placed in his resolution was to cover expense of traveling, stenographic and office expenses which Mr. Pinneo would probably require. It might be necessary for him to visit Montreal, Ottawa, and other places in connection with his survey.

"If we are going to have a survey, we must provide sufficient money for it. Let's do it right, or not at all," said Alderman Brown.

Alderman Harvey said he agreed with the resolution, but suggested that it be broadened to include provision for a survey of industrial developments, as well as harbor developments.

Alderman J. A. Shanks declared that Oak Bay and Esquimalt would benefit with Victoria through the survey here, and should be invited to

Thames River Towns Greet Flyer's Return

Who flew from England to Cape Town, crossing Africa from northwest to southeast, and has now returned a twenty-eight thousand-mile flight from England to Australia and return.



MR. ALAN CORRAN
Who flew from England to Cape Town, crossing Africa from northwest to southeast, and has now returned a twenty-eight thousand-mile flight from England to Australia and return.

contribute towards the cost of the project.
"Let Alderman Shanks go and try," commented Alderman Holmes.

The mover and seconder of the resolution agreed to include Alderman Harvey's amendment, and then the motion adopting the project was carried unanimously.

Started as Telegraphist
Mr. Pinneo, a recognized expert on marine development, was born at Princeton, Iowa, in 1873, earning his first dollar in the railroad business as junior telegraphist. After working as telegraphist and agent he became identified with the Great Northern Steamship Company as agent at the West Superior and Duluth docks, Wisconsin.

Mr. Pinneo's first view of the Pacific, on which he was later to build up an international reputation as a practical expert on trade development, came in 1898, when he found employment with the Pacific Coast Steamship Company at Seattle. For two years he worked in that capacity, becoming interested in Alaskan trade movements out of the Sound city.

This led, in 1900, to a berth on the traffic department of the White Pass & Yukon Railway, receiving his appointment directly from the late R. H. Graves, then president of the company. Mr. Pinneo found a ready avenue for his talents in the Far North and rose steadily in the service of the company until one year later, in 1901 he was deputed to go to Whitehorse to take over the Canadian Development Company in the largest river boat merger the North has known. R. T. Elliott, of this city, was head of the Canadian Development Company at that time, and Mr. Pinneo negotiated the purchase of the entire river boat fleet by the White Pass & Yukon for the extension of their rail service through the frozen north. These boats plied from Whitehorse to Dawson and were an important part of the development of the White Pass route that was to follow. In later years he became general agent for the White Pass at Vancouver.

Mr. Pinneo's Rise in Service
In 1906 his former connection with the Steamship Company was severed, and Mr. Pinneo again went to Seattle, as assistant general freight agent of Alaska traffic for the line. For the next eleven years he rose in the service of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, until consolidation of that line with the White Pass route in 1917. It was there Mr. Pinneo came under the notice of H. F. Alexander, the man who was to play such an important part in his career from that day to this.

In 1918 Mr. Pinneo was sent on a special mission to the Orient, and in a tour of China, Japan, the Strait Settlements, Manila and as far as Vladivostok, appointing agencies for the Alexander interests and opening up Orient trade routes to Sound ports. Great Pacific development followed this connection, and Mr. Pinneo is perhaps prouder of his work in this connection than any other project he has attempted.

As a reward for his successful promotion of the Pacific trade relations for his firm Mr. Pinneo was appointed foreign trade manager of the line, a berth of exceedingly wide ramifications and responsibilities. This post he held until 1921, when he accepted a five-year contract to boom the port of Astoria at a yearly salary of \$18,000. Though Mr. Pinneo is difficult to draw out on his own achievements in speaks volumes for his work at Astoria that at the completion of his five-year term Astoria offered him a further contract for a further term of four years to continue the good work.

Most Profitable Venture
Up to this time Mr. Pinneo had been working at high pressure, and now ill health called the first halt. He was in ill health for several years and when again convalescent entered into private business under his own name, operating a foreign trade business out of Seattle. This, he recalls, was perhaps the most profitable venture of his career.

In April of this year, however, the Alexander interests again stepped in and insisted on Mr. Pinneo's return to that firm. This time it was as special representative without any definite duties, and in that capacity he is engaged at the present moment.

VANCOUVER PHYSICIAN CHARGED WITH MURDER

VANCOUVER, Oct. 1.—Dr. Thomas Verner, sixty-three-year-old physician residing in North Vancouver, was arrested late tonight and formally charged with murder in connection with the death of Mrs. Flora Graham, of this city. Mrs. Graham is alleged to have died September 30 in a hospital here as the result of an operation.

Dr. Verner will appear in police court tomorrow morning.

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CONFERENCE TO DISCUSS PART OF DOMINIONS IN EMPIRE FOREIGN POLICY

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representatives. They made their comment. But nothing textual either of the statement or the subsequent comment appeared in the published memoranda. The official communiqué was chiefly remarkable for what it did not contain. At one conference indeed, a British representative proposed that the only communication to the press should be the profound information that the Conference had met.

Well Somewhat Lifted
As the years rolled along, the veil on Conference proceedings was somewhat lifted. At the last Conference, for the first time, part of the statement by the Foreign Secretary was issued. But none of the subsequent speeches by Dominion Prime Ministers were made public, and here it is probable that some change will be made.

The question of foreign affairs is allied to that of defense. Under this head will arise the question of further reduction in armaments, following on what has already been accomplished under the Washington treaties.

In 1923, after laying down guiding principles for Imperial defense, the Conference had this observation to make in its official pronouncement: "The Conference, while deeply concerned for the paramount importance of providing for the safety and integrity of all parts of the Empire, earnestly desires, so far as is consistent with this consideration, the further limitation of armaments, and trusts that no opportunity may be lost to promote this subject."

Note—Mr. George Hamilton, superintendent of the Canadian Press Ottawa Bureau, will cover the Imperial Conference for the Canadian Press, while Mr. H. H. Hamilton, of the last Imperial Conference in admirable manner, being himself a student of the subject. Before leaving he contributes the advance article published above.

MEETING FAVORS WEEKLY HOLIDAY

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Says Well Organized Move
Alderman Woodward, in opening the meeting, said he had called it because there was a well organized move, not only in Victoria but in Vancouver, to cut out the weekly half-holiday. There never was a time when the holiday was more in danger. It was up to those interested to see that the holiday was retained.

Mr. R. B. Price said his firm was very strongly in favor of the Wednesday half-holiday. He felt that the directors of the Chamber of Commerce, when they decided upon recommending a change, had not the advantage of advice from the retailers. Mr. Drake had pointed out the impractical nature of giving employees a holiday at different times during the week.

Mr. Postgate Fowler said he favored the half-holiday system. Mr. Dann did not approve of the old-fashioned way of keeping open for long hours. He hoped to see an organization effected at the meeting that would put an end to the movement to cut out the half-holiday. He thought the clerks came back, after the relaxation, better able to give good service over the week-end.

Mr. A. S. Denny praised the work that was being done by the Chamber of Commerce, the members giving a great deal of time for the advantage of the city.

Thinks Act Unwise
In this movement he believed the Chamber had not taken the proper course. The members would have acted more wisely in taking the opinions of the merchants first.

On the argument that tourists were needed the opportunity to do business here on Wednesday afternoons, Mr. Denny expressed the opinion that if the business, so lost was divided among the many who enjoyed this holiday it would represent a very small amount to each.

His own experience was that the employees came back on Thursday much fresher for their work. He would not like to see any change made to deprive those employed of this half-holiday.

Mr. Christopher, of the Post-Cutlery, voiced approval of the half-holiday.
Another speaker did not believe the distribution of the half-holiday over the week was practical. It would be foolish, he thought, that many would not receive their half-holiday.

Says Impractical Method
Mr. W. Smith pointed out that in distributing the holiday it would mean that twenty per cent of the employees would be absent all the time. If any employee could carry on in that way he would be inclined to do away with one-tenth of them.

Mr. Price expressed the view that the directors of the Chamber of Commerce had been lacking in courtesy in not referring to the retail section of the Chamber's membership this question before they acted. The matter came before the retailers at a previous meeting and the decision was decidedly against doing away with the half-holiday.

Some little discussion followed as to whether the organization of the forces against the change in the system would be better under one central body or in two, the employers and the employees each effecting its own association.

Organize for Action
After considerable discussion, it was decided to make it one organization with only one object in view, and that the maintenance of the weekly half-holiday. With this in view, the association was named the Wednesday Half-Holiday Association. Petitions were circulated, and these forms were taken by many of those present to be signed throughout the city and environs, and in turn to be presented to the Deputy Minister of Labor, recording a protest against any change in the half-holiday system.

It was decided to include Oak Bay, Esquimalt and other sections surrounding the city. The retailers will be approached and urged to lend support. A number of them were present last evening, and will lend their heartiest support to the move. The clerks will also sign the petitions for presentation.

Officers were elected last evening as



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Character of the meeting there would undoubtedly have been a very much larger attendance at the gathering. Subscriptions were taken to aid in defraying the expenses incidental to the campaign launched.

Mr. R. Elliott presided.
Overheard at the Circus—Manager of side show: You want to speak in the Hindu mystic, mias?
Fair Visitor, Yes. Tell her it's her sister Bridget.

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Legs Local Spring Lamb, per pound 40c	
Lamb Stew, per pound 15c	
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Corned Brisket, per lb. 10c	Corned Rolled Brisket, lb. 15c
COOKED MEATS	
Choice Cooked Ham, per lb. 65c	Pure Pork Sausages, per lb. 30c
Choice Veal Loaf, per lb. 30c	Country Style Sausages, lb. 30c
Choice Corned Beef, per lb. 30c	Tomato Sausages, per lb. 15c
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MR. PINNEO ADVISES FULL CO-OPERATION

Port Expert Tells Directors of Chamber of Commerce He Is Prepared to Do His Best if Employed

"I believe that your city is on the right track in the effort it is making to solve its industrial questions," said Mr. Roger Pinneo, in addressing the directors of the Chamber of Commerce at their meeting yesterday. "I do not say that I am the best man for the undertaking, but if I am selected for the duty I will do all I can to assist you in the matter you have in hand."

Mr. Pinneo explained that with the consent of Mr. H. E. Alexander, his services were available to the city if it decided to use them. He said he was not coming permanently, but would be loaned for a short time to give Victoria the fullest advantage of any ability that he had along the lines suggested.

"Perhaps after I have spent a little time here, however," he added, "I may get to like Victoria so well that, like the rest of you, I may want to stay."

Mr. Pinneo advised the fullest co-operation on the part of all citizens and of all the organizations that existed in Victoria in the carrying of the plans to the fullest success. If he were selected to serve them as suggested he wished to feel that he had all the citizens behind him in his efforts.

French Rhine Army

BERLIN, Oct. 1.—The commander of the French Rhine Army of Occupation has issued an order prohibiting the French troops from wearing civilian clothes. A patrol also has been organized for night duty in occupied towns and villages to assist the German police in preventing clashes between German and French soldiers such as occurred at Gernersheim.

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Chartered Accountants Elect Their Officers

MONTREAL, Oct. 1.—E. S. Read, Winnipeg, was elected president of the Dominion Association of Chartered Accountants at a meeting of the council subsequent to the concluding session of the twenty-fourth annual meeting of the organization here today. Other officers elected for 1926-1927 were: Messrs. H. Percy Edwards, Toronto, vice-president, and Keith Brennan, Winnipeg, secretary.

ESKIMO AND INDIAN SCHOOLS MAKE GAINS

Reports Presented to Anglican Mission Board—Chinese Question Is Referred to China

WINNIPEG, Oct. 1.—The Mission Board of the Anglican Church in Canada held the closing session of the annual meeting this afternoon. The Bishop of Mid-Japan stated the need for a sanitarium in his diocese and was granted permission to raise \$25,000 for this purpose through a personal canvass of the Dominion. The Rev. Canon Simmons, principal of St. Andrew's College, Honan, China, brought up the action of the Ministry of Education at Peking, requiring all schools established by foreigners to be under Government regulation on penalty of disfranchisement to the students.

The matter was referred to the General Synod in China, it being pointed out that it was possible for the schools to carry on by omitting religion from the required course.

Indian and Eskimo Schools
Reports were received on the condition of Indian and Eskimo schools under administration of schools. The total enrollment was reported as 1,041, a gain of sixty-four. New buildings have been erected at Sioux Lookout, Ont., and on the Pelican River, near Calgary. Another new school will be built at Onion Lake, Saskatchewan.

The Primate of all Canada, Archbishop Matheson, was re-elected head of the executive board of management of the Missionary Society of the church.

HUGE PAPER PLANT FOR N.Y. TIMES' OWNER

Mr. Adolph Ochs Contemplates \$25,000,000 Investment in Canadian Plant

TORONTO, Oct. 1.—The Telegram says: "The presence in Canada of Adolph Ochs, proprietor of The New York Times, is explained in the fact that his interests are on the eve of staging a total expenditure of \$25,000,000 in Canada as a result of which The Times will procure its entire usage of newspaper from one Canadian source, owned by Ochs interests. "It was explained this afternoon by the secretary of Mr. Ochs that the proprietor of The New York Times has just concluded a business trip into Northern Ontario, in connection with the proposed large newspaper project. The site selected for the paper plant is at Kapuskasing, where already there is a small sulphite mill in operation.

"A new mammoth plant for newspaper production will be built. The waterpower necessary to energize the mill will come from Smoky Falls, where 75,000 horsepower will be generated."

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Belgian Banker Offers Millions to Country

Transportation Committee of Chamber of Commerce Will Consider Subject With Companies



M. ALFRED LOWENSTEIN
Belgian banker and sportsman, who announced from Biarritz that he was in a position to offer to the Belgian Government a loan of \$10,000,000 for a minimum period of two years, without interest. He usually travels by air, and his first aeroplane, fitted with office appliances, is said to cost him \$10,000 per month.

NEW VICE-PRESIDENT NAMED BY CHAMBER

Mr. E. Tomlin Elected to Position Following Resignation of Mr. B. C. Nicholas

Mr. E. Tomlin has been elected vice-president of the Chamber of Commerce in succession to Mr. B. C. Nicholas whose resignation has been in the hands of the directors since shortly after the annual meeting and who, at yesterday's meeting of the directors, indicated that it should be acted upon.

Mr. Nicholas said that in view of the fact that he had other duties that he must be relieved of his office. He promised that he would give the same attention to the organization as in the past.

Mr. C. P. W. Schwenger, president of the chamber, pleaded that Mr. Nicholas reconsider his decision, but this latter said was impossible. Mr. Tomlin in turn pleaded that he was president of the Manufacturers' Association for the province, and also president of the Rotary Club, and did not wish to take on any other duties. He, however, was over-ruled in the matter and elected unanimously.

PACIFIC COAST COAL COMPANY TO EXPAND

American Coal Operator Brings Cheering News of Future of Colliery Industry

At a time when the coal business is suffering from so many obstacles on Vancouver Island, it is refreshing to note that a leading operator is visiting Seattle, declaring that it is proposed to spend approximately two million dollars on improvements and

additional properties in the neighborhood of Seattle.

The operator is Mr. Walter Barnum, president of the Pacific Coast Coal Company, the controlling organization of the Pacific Coast Coal Company. Mr. Barnum is also president of the National Coal Association of the United States.

Both Mr. Barnum and Mr. Harry O. Gandy, executive secretary of the association, declare that the future of the coal industry is still unlimited and that the supply is virtually inexhaustible, as contrasted with oil and wood, the natural supplies of which are held by many intelligent scientists and business men to be doomed within a few years.

Mr. Gandy, who is making a national tour of mining areas, was greatly impressed with the ingenuity displayed in getting Washington coal out of the ground. The difficulty of mining, he said, is great, because the seams of coal lie vertically instead of horizontally as in most mining areas. The cost of operation, however, he said, was mitigated by the low transportation cost to the market, which was from a quarter to a third what it was from eastern fields to the big manufacturing centres.

Killed by Catfish
PETERBORO, Ont., Oct. 1.—Fred Calder, while fishing recently, was wounded by the horn of a catfish. Blood poisoning set in and he died Wednesday.

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EXPORT LUMBER RATE FROM ISLAND SOUGHT

Transportation Committee of Chamber of Commerce Will Consider Subject With Companies

At the meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday a communication was read from Messrs. Pemberton & Son, dealing with the question of freight rates on lumber for export. The letter stated that the firm was prepared to do business in this line and wished to obtain information as to all the rates that were involved in handling the product of Island mills.

The president of the Chamber, Mr. C. P. W. Schwenger read communications he had had in the matter with the different transportation companies. The questions had been referred to the proper authorities of each of the railway companies for decision.

Mr. Schwenger said that the gratifying point about the matter was that there was here tangible evidence that those were those in the city who were ready to utilize the lumber assembly plant now almost completed. He felt that the matter might go to the transportation committee for consideration. It would mean the getting of the various interests together and the negotiating of something practical.

This was agreed upon and the transportation committee will take the question up.

POLICE OFFICER KNOWS CRIMINAL STATUTE LAW

Judge Compliments Member of Provincial Police Force on Detecting Point Overlooked

VANCOUVER, Oct. 1.—A police officer who knows more criminal law than lawyers and a judge was the recipient of praise in assize court today from Mr. Justice Gregory. The officer is Sergeant Otway Wilkie, of the Provincial Police, who assists Crown Prosecutor C. L. McAlpine in preparation of cases for the Crown. His Lordship stated that Sergeant Wilkie should be commended for discovering a matter which had escaped the attention of counsel and judge. During his charge to the jury in the case against David P. Lowery, charged with a statutory offence, Mr. Justice Gregory had stated that corroboration was not necessary. Through the Crown prosecutor, Sergeant Wilkie drew to the court's notice a recent amendment, changing the law in this respect, so that corroboration is now necessary. This evoked His Lordship's comment that the officer knew more about criminal law than the lawyers.

Vagrancy Charges

James Fehlbush, B. P. Goodwin, "Cappy" Clark, a woman, and Peggy Burnett, pleaded guilty to charges of vagrancy in the city police court yesterday, and were each fined the sum of \$25, or one month in jail. The fines were paid. City Prosecutor Claude L. Harrison advised the court that two of them were suspected as card sharpers and that they were undesirable citizens.



THE "WEAKER" SEX
—Hungerford, in The Pittsburgh Post.

**Puts Toy on Grave
Of His Soldier Son**

LONDON, Oct. 1.—An old man whose son was killed in the war was placed on the grave in a Flanders battlefield a small glass globe bearing a figure of Cupid. It had been his son's plaything as a child.

This is one of the many incidents recorded by the organizers of St. Barnabas Pilgrimage Fund, whose specially chartered ship, Rella d'Italia, is on the way to Salonika with 274 pilgrims on board. The pilgrims will visit the graves of their relatives who fell in the Gallipoli campaign.

"We receive many pathetic requests," said Mrs. E. M. Barker, honorary secretary of the fund, to a press representative.

"One came two days ago, from the mother of a boy who is buried on the Doiran front, in Salonika.

"She read in a newspaper that the ship had left the port of London, enclosing a packet of violet and pansy seeds gathered from her garden. She asked that it might be forwarded to Salonika and the seeds planted on her son's grave. We have forwarded the seeds to Salonika." Many souvenirs are laid by relatives on the war graves of the various fronts.

"A widow asked us to place her photograph on her husband's grave," said Mrs. Barker.

"A woman living in Canada worked her passage to England and called to see us. We took her to France to visit her son's grave. She unwrapped from a paper parcel a small china dog and placed it at the foot of the cross on the grave. It had been her son's favorite toy when he was a child."

Mrs. Jones. "Tell me, dear, your real reason for giving up drink." Husband: "Well, it was like this. The last time I came home late from the club my mother was here and the shock cured me, because I saw two of her."

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Hats for the wee tots and their big sisters are on display in the Children's Section, and such pretty styles in all the wanted colors; in felt, velour, velvet, etc.

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BLOODHOUNDS SO FAR ARE NOT SUCCESSFUL

Body of Orliot Not Yet Found—Prisoner Tells Story of Eventful Evening at Home

QUEBEC, B.C., Oct. 1.—If Kost, accused of the murder of Morice Orliot, rancher of Orliot Lake, was at all disconcerted Thursday afternoon when the big bloodhound bayed and raced toward him in the court house here, he did not show it.

In fact, the Rumanian appeared not to notice the dog at all as it rubbed against his legs and sniffed his clothes while held by Constable Campbell, who brought the animal from Onakila. There was quite a little stir at 4 o'clock Thursday evening when five automobiles loaded with constables, trackers and volunteer searchers passed through town and drew up at the police office. The bloodhound had been taken out to the lake at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and the police and trackers had been following a fairly well defined trail, when they had been forced to leave it owing to darkness, the night before. If the townspeople expected to see the old rancher's body lifted from one of the cars they were disappointed.

"There have been no new developments," said Inspector Fernie, "but we are certain of one thing: We know where the body is not."

Sixteen men, spaced twenty-five feet apart, combed the woods for two miles square on the upper side of Kost's homestead on Thursday. At one time they thought they had come upon the object of their search. It turned out to be an old cache consisting of shovels, picks, iron bars and a window sash.

Prisoner's Story
Aaron Kost still sticks to his original story, although he has since filled in a few details omitted in the first telling. He claims that Orliot was walking through his field on Sunday morning about 11:30. As he came opposite Kost's cabin the owner came to the doorway and called out to Orliot to keep away from the place as he did not want him hunting on his land. Kost says that Orliot made some threatening remark and at the same time attempted to unsling his rifle. Kost ran to his bunk, where he kept his own rifle. But it was gone. Some one had stolen it, he claimed. Just as he reached the door again he saw Orliot fall. An instant later he heard a shot. Not knowing whether the old rancher was killed outright, or merely shamming, he loaded his .44 pistol with a shot cartridge and fired it in the air to let him know he was armed.

For seven hours or more, until darkness had set in, he watched the object on the ground, just outside the rail fence forty feet away. It did not move. Thinking a hidden assailant would have an advantage of him if he remained in the cabin at night, Kost slipped quietly away in the darkness and took up a position on the hillside, where he could watch without being seen. At daylight, without going near the body or his shack again, he struck out for town to notify the authorities.

D'Arcy Scott Is Dead
OTTAWA, Oct. 1.—D'Arcy Scott, former Assistant Chief Commissioner of the Board of Railway Commissioners and son of the late Sir Richard Scott, who was Secretary of State in the administration of the late Sir Wilfrid Laurier, died here this afternoon.

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DELUDED FREE TRADERS

Many years ago Mr. John Bright, a very conscientious man and an eloquent expounder of the economic principles and the political doctrine of Free Trade, declared that it would be impossible to reduce the hours of labor of the cotton spinners of Lancashire. The spinners were then working twelve hours a day and were agitating for a ten-hour working day. Mr. Bright declared that if the hours of the spinners were reduced it would be impossible for the cotton manufacturers to meet the competition of their rivals in foreign countries.

The plea of the great British Parliamentarian on behalf of the manufacturers of England, we believe, was made in what was then, and still is, the stronghold of the British Free Traders, in the district of Manchester. The great Manchester has taken occasion by the hand and has broadcast another blast on the subject of the sacred and sound principles of Free Trade. A meeting of the Free Traders of England has been held there and has issued a warning to the Premier of the British Overseas Dominions that "this country is unalterably determined that the system under which it has prospered shall not be materially changed." The National Free Trade Congress was not content with dashing a dish of cold water in the faces of the Dominion Premier's gathering from the uttermost parts of the earth to consider and discuss Imperial problems. It has also charged the Dominion with ingratitude, with accepting favors from the hands of the Mother Country and bestowing no favors in return therefor. It has taunted Australia with making little provision for the naval defence of her territory and looking to Britain to construct the great base at Singapore. And one of its leading lights has flung a verbal missile at the party in Canada which always has been loyal and steadfast in its adherence to the principle of British connection. Lord Parmoor exulted in the defeat of the "high tariff party of Canada" in the recent election.

It may, of course, be that Free Trade is the only possible economic policy for Great Britain. It also may be that England will prosper in the future as she prospered in the past under a policy of Free Trade. But world conditions have undergone a great change since the days when the British workman's hours of labor were long and his wages were low, when John Bright declared that the hours of the British workman must continue to be long and the wages of the British workman low if the British manufacturer were to continue to maintain his pre-eminence in the markets of the world. Today the British workman is organized, his hours of labor are few and his wages are high compared with the days when Free Trade ruled and British products were sold at satisfactory profits in practically every country in the world.

In the days when Cobden wrote, Bright pleaded and Gladstone thundered on the fundamental principles of Free Trade the protective principle had not been adopted by practically every important nation in the world. Today there is not a single Free Trade country in the world. British manufacturers are not admitted on a Free Trade basis into the markets of any of the great nations of the world. The British manufacturer is therefore confronted with two conditions which were never contemplated in the days of the great apostles of Free Trade. The cost of manufacturing is higher and access to markets is either impossible or is subject to certain conditions.

The principles of Free Trade are based upon the principle of free competition in all markets, including the labor market. In the matter of labor Great Britain today is the most effectively protected country on the face of the earth. The British workman is highly organized. He does not accept terms from his employer. He exacts terms, and if his terms are not utterly unreasonable, he gets them. Adoption of the protective principle enables nations to do what the organized workman is doing—dictate the terms upon which other nations shall do business with them. It should not be impossible for the statesmen of Great Britain and the representatives of the British Dominions to reach an agreement on trade relations that would be advantageous to all concerned; but if such an arrangement is unattainable because of the dogmatic attitude of the Free Traders, the consequences will not be on the heads of the Dominions. They are young, and their future is assured.

LOCAL KEW GARDEN

A reader of The Colonist suggests that the recent visit to Victoria of Dr. A. W. Hill, the celebrated director of Kew Gardens, and the address he delivered on the genesis and the history of that renowned institution,

should be an incentive to action by the people of this part of British Columbia. There has been a considerable amount of discursive talk about the establishment in Victoria of a garden that might in course of time develop into something more than a merely resembling the world-renowned Garden at Kew, but thus far little progress has been made in the undertaking.

Our advisor says the opinion of many noted horticulturists and arboriculturists is that the neighborhood of Victoria is well adapted to the growth of plants of all descriptions, even plants which are indigenous to sub-tropical countries, and that Dr. Hill has confirmed the views of the local authorities. In fact in his address the Doctor declared that in the matter of soil and climate Victoria has greater advantages than Kew for the production of trees and plants of all varieties.

The history of the celebrated Gardens of Kew is interesting and instructive as illustrating what may be accomplished by things begun in a small way. Kew Gardens were originated during the reign of George III, under the supervision of Sir Joseph Banks. The gardens then covered about eleven acres. After this attention nothing much was done until the reign of Queen Victoria. In 1840 they were taken over by the nation and greatly enlarged. The original eleven acres are now part of approximately 345 acres.

There are areas of land under the control of the civic authorities of Victoria which might be devoted to such a purpose, and, bearing in mind the small beginning of Kew, we may reasonably hope that in the course of time a creditable imitation of Kew Gardens might be produced in British Columbia.

The flora of British Columbia alone, to say nothing of the other parts of America, are sufficient to fill a large space set aside for such a purpose, saying nothing about plants readily obtained from the Orient and the Antipodes.

The sea serpent of the Okanagan has appeared again after a protracted period of repose. The reptile is growing rapidly and is increasing correspondingly in strength and vigor. The last person who saw it declares that it is at least fifty feet in length, wriggles through the waters of the lake at a prodigious speed, and "throws a wake" like a powerful turbine steamer. We at one time surmised that there was a direct connection between the snake and the election campaign, but surely sufficient time has passed for the effects of the more than liberal supply of cigars and liquors distributed by the advocates of the cause of the Liberal party to wear off. If the creature is not speedily captured and knocked on the head it may be up to some mischievous tricks. It is no longer a joke. It is a menace.

The coal miners of the European Continent have turned deaf ears to appeals of British coal miners. They will neither sanction an embargo on exports of coal to Britain nor contribute of their earnings to support of the British coal miners. The strike in Britain proved a golden opportunity for them, and they are going to make the most of it. Self-interest makes a stronger appeal than the fearful supplications of Mr. A. J. Cook. The miners were misled and are disillusioned. Everybody is sorry for them. But they do not appear to be sorry for the ills they have afflicted upon their country.

We have seen it written somewhere lately that "by a combination of right living and right thinking we may hope to extend the span of life." We have been trying to instill a course of right thinking in the minds of the people of this part of the world, and our efforts have not been in vain. The electors of British Columbia thought right and voted right, but considered the condition of mind of the benighted electors of Quebec and of some other parts of Canada. Surely those erring people are not worthy of an extended span of life.

We regret to remark that the Liberals of the far from Liberal city of Toronto are chiefly distinguished for their liberality. The Liberals of the Queen City have held a meeting and passed resolutions demanding that the Government stop the construction of the C.N.R. Hotel in Vancouver and the work of improving the harbor of Victoria.

The people of Vancouver appear to have made a note of the warning, "an apple a day keeps the doctor away." A headline in a newspaper says the Vancouver people are buying five thousand boxes of apples a day, and presumably the people are eating the fruit. We wonder what the unfortunate doctors of Vancouver think of their professional prospects.

The wets and the dries are at it hammer and tongs in the United States. The Congressional election will be contested principally upon that issue, and we predict that the dries will "put it all over" their thirty opponents, except possibly in a few of the more populous states.

Japan is talking about reopening the sealing question. Best to let sleeping dogs lie. Reopening the sealing question might reopen another serious international question.

NEW BUILDING SOCIETY LAUNCHED

Capital Home Building Society is Organized in Victoria Under Temporary Officers

The Capital Home Building Society was organized last night as the latest of the series of building societies which have done so much to facilitate home ownership for Victorians on a co-operative basis during the last forty years.

The new venture was launched at a crowded meeting in the Pemberton Building convened by Mr. F. J. Goudalake, secretary of two of the previous societies.

Acting Mayor William Marchant was voted to the chair and in opening the proceedings reviewed the history of building and loan societies in the city during the past few decades. Following his remarks a motion picture was carried unanimously that a new society be formed on the same general lines as the Greater Victoria Building Society.

An animated discussion on the choice of a name resulted as already mentioned, the one selected being jointly sponsored by Messrs. Fred Landsberg and E. W. Whittington. The majority of those present then subscribed for shares and proceeded to the election of a temporary board of management consisting of Alderman Marchant, Major Kirkpatrick-Crooket and Messrs. A. E. Rosier, L. E. Gower and E. C. Rosier.

Mr. T. J. Goodlake was elected acting secretary-treasurer. The board was authorized to prepare by-laws for submission to a later meeting previous to incorporation and meanwhile an active canvass for the sale of shares will be instituted. The office of the new society is at 1088 Broad Street, where full information can be obtained.

NIGHT SCHOOL TO COMMENCE MONDAY

Enrollment Expected to Equal Record Set Last Year—One Addition to Curriculum

The City School Board evening technical classes will commence Monday night at the Victoria High School, and Mr. W. H. Binns, supervisor of technical education, is of the opinion that the attendance this year will equal and perhaps more than equal that of last year. Last year there was a record attendance of 666 students.

Starting on Monday the courses will continue until March 31. The curriculum this year has but one change. Home nursing and hygiene has been added to the list. This course consists of about twelve lectures and will include the study of elementary anatomy and physiology, infectious diseases, invalid feeding and principles of nursing and hygiene.

The curriculum includes the following courses: Preliminary commercial course, bookkeeping, shorthand, typewriting, penmanship, salesmanship, woodwork, sheet metal drafting, art metal work, machine shop practice, gasoline engines, mathematics, engineering and machine construction, steam engine, electrical engineering, building trades course, art course, lettering and show card writing, cartooning and caricature, pottery and design, domestic science, dressmaking, millinery, cooking, languages, French and Spanish; public speaking, music and courses in matriculation.

Senator Goff on Stand

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—United States Senator Cuy D. Goff of West Virginia, the man who signed releases for \$7,000,000 of American Metal Company shares, took the stand today in the Laugherty-Miller conspiracy trial.

The Weather

Metereologist Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., October 1, 1926

TEMPERATURES	Min	Max
Vancouver	59	65
Kamloops	50	62
Barkerville	38	52
Prince Rupert	42	54
Essex	42	54
Dawson, Y.T.	22	34
Portland, Ore.	52	64
San Francisco, Cal.	50	60
Seattle	52	62
Spokane	54	62
Vernon	52	60
Grand Forks	50	62
Nelson	50	60
Cransbrook	51	59
Calgary	36	52
Edmonton	30	40
Swift Current	14	30
Prince Albert	14	24
Winnipeg	14	24

FORECASTS
Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, mostly cloudy and mild.
Vancouver and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, mostly cloudy and mild with occasional showers.

FRIDAY
Maximum—58
Minimum—42
Average—50
Minimum on the ground—44
Bright sunshine, 2 hours, 18 minutes.
Rain, 34 inches.
General state of the weather, cloudy.

5 P.M. Weather Reports
Victoria—Barometer, 29.87; wind, S.W. 3 miles, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.64; calm, cloudy.
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.64; wind, E. 4 miles, cloudy.
Barkerville—Barometer, 29.84; wind, S.W. 10 miles, fair.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.42; calm.
Essex—Barometer, 29.64; wind, S.W. 4 miles, cloudy.
Tison—Barometer, 29.44; wind, N.W. 4 miles, cloudy.
Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.64; wind, E. 4 miles, cloudy.
Seattle—Barometer, 29.64; wind, S.W. 4 miles, rain.
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.78; wind, S.W. 10 miles, cloudy.

THE REAPER

Upon the dying mother, the grim reaper,

Fell ethereal holy light revealing her.

Her beauty and her patience and all her love

Now before the eyes even of those

Who never saw her as she trod the earth.

Who saw her for a moment ere she passed,

Passed without sound, happy and unafraid.

Gracious and kind, and royal in humility.

And where she lived, heaven comfort us, a house

Vacant and cruel assails our saddened eyes.

—E. R. Ellis-Tucker.

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Mining Prospers In Cariboo Section In Larger Volume Again

Altogether the Cariboo district is looking better than it has for quite a few years, according to Mr. H. Beech, of Barkerville, the retiring Gold Commissioner for Cariboo, who is registered at the Dominion Hotel.

Both quartz properties and dredging operations have been more encouraging this year, he reports. In addition to placer and quartz gold, he spoke of Mr. John Campbell's deposit of galena which has been developed this year, and which has been shown to be important both for depth and width.

Operations are going on at the Devil's Canyon, about ten miles out, seeking to get down to bedrock. It was reported that very rich gold had been traced to the Eldorado placer claim. A gang has been working all summer at the property, but the results are at present obscure.

Mr. Beech spoke well of some properties on Prosser and Cunningham mountains. The Rainbow property, owned by Mr. A. Saunders, near the Lowhee hydraulic mine, looks as likely to develop free gold and quartz. On Cunningham Mountain, Mr. Campbell and Messrs. Moore and Wells, are opening up quartz properties, showing up well.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of October 2, 1876)

From Dean's Canal—The steamer Sir James Douglas arrived from Dean's Canal yesterday with the mails and freight, and the following passengers: W. R. Jennings, chief engineer in charge, H. S. Kingston and Geo. Hargrave, transients; P. Howe and R. Crider, travellers; J. Creighton, W. R. Major, Jas. Miller, Jas. Fox, D. McArthur, Geo. McKay, W. M. Howe, J. Doyle, Art. Taylor, A. B. Houghner, J. R. Sharpe, G. T. Buck, Joseph Darr, C. Craig, Jas. Walker, Angus Fraser, John Creighton, H. Young, Alex. McDonald.

St. John's Church—We observe that this sacred edifice is being decorated with cereals, flowers and fruits, and that a Harvest Home Service will be held next Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Mr. Jones will preach on both occasions, which promise to be more than usually interesting.

Fine Cattle—Two splendid steers were brought down yesterday from the Mainland for Mr. P. Reynolds. An specimen of cattle they are perhaps the most excellent which have yet arrived here, and they are a credit to Mr. Richter, of Similkameen, who bred and raised them.

CHILDREN'S ESSAYS TO BE ENCOURAGED

Twenty-four Cash Prizes Will Be Offered to City and District Pupils

During Fire Prevention Week the Victoria and District Fire Insurance Agents' Association will be assisted by the Fire Chief in visiting all the schools, addressing the pupils and inspecting the provisions made to provide safety for the children.

The Fire Marshal of the Province, Mr. J. A. Thomas, appreciating the work done in Victoria, has given a grant whereby the association is enabled to offer twenty-four cash prizes to the school children of Victoria, Oak Bay, Esquimalt and Saanich for the best essays upon "Fire Prevention."

Engineer Catches Foxes

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont., Oct. 1.—Learning from the cowatcher of his engine Engineer Jack Goatsbe grasped a valuable silver grey fox which had become panic-stricken and dashed up the track ahead of the train. Two weeks ago he captured a red fox in the same manner.



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Failure to stop his motor car behind a street car while the latter was about to take on passengers, cost Wallace

Alexander the sum of \$25 in the city police court yesterday. The accused, who pleaded guilty to the charge, told the magistrate that his brakes would not hold since oil had leaked over the bands.

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Ideal Harvest Weather Reported in Alberta

EDMONTON, Oct. 1.—Ideal weather conditions prevailed in the Edmonton district today, and hopes are again bright that threshing will be in full swing before the end of the week.

LETHBRIDGE, Oct. 1.—Bright, warm sunshine today, following a week of fine weather, is putting the grain in stocks in splendid condition for threshing. Local millers declared

that the wheat is grading better than expected. Best harvest is also in full swing, and every available man is busy in the fields. Practically no threshing has been done in Southern Alberta, and a whole month will be required to clean up that operation.

"Well, honey," chirped the recent groom to the occupant of the frilled apron, "what is it now? bread or cake?"


She lifted a tremendous dimpled chin and smiled, "I don't know! It isn't finished yet."

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Large Crowd in Attendance at Crystal Garden Last Night—Big Show Concludes Tonight

A large crowd was in attendance at the radio exhibition held last night at the Crystal Garden under the auspices of the Victoria Radio Club. Messrs. G. W. Warnock and H. J. Cunningham, local members of the American Radio League, were kept busy flashing hundreds of messages to all parts of the country free of charge.

Mr. G. Harold Grant, president of the organization, dispatched a wireless message to Hon. Herbert Hoover, in which he wished him success in his administration of the radio broadcasting of the United States.

The list of prize winners entered in the competition were as follows: Crystal set: First prize, Mr. G. Ball; second prize, Mr. W. Wilson. Novelty sets: First prize, Mr. W. Anderson; second prize, Mr. G. Minty; special prize, Mr. E. V. Wilson. Reflex sets: First prize, Mr. W. J. Frampton.

Browning Drake sets: First prize, Mr. W. H. Chandler; second prize, Mr. J. J. Morley; special prize, Mr. H. E. Van Fromme and Mr. H. Hamlet.

Bremer-Tully sets: First prize, Mr. G. Fry.

Tuned radio frequency sets: First prize, Mr. W. T. McGibbon.

Superheterodyne sets: First prize, Mr. A. Cave.

Short wave receiver: First prize, Mr. J. A. Betts; second prize, Mr. G. Wheeler.

Professional class: First prize, Mr. W. J. Frampton; second prize, Mr. J. T. Ball.

"B" battery eliminator: First prize, Mr. H. P. Porter; second prize, Mr. G. Minty.

Loud speakers: First prize, Mr. H. P. Porter; second prize, Mr. G. Minty; special prize, Mr. H. W. Prangnell.

The judging was done by Mr. E. J. Haughton, Superintendent of Dominion Radio Telegraph Service, and Mr. A. I. Gray, Inspector in the same service.

Mr. J. A. Betts, 742 Bay Street, who won first prize in the short wave receiver class, recently picked up a message from H.M.S. Yarmouth steaming up the Mediterranean on the way to Malta, which is approximately 11,000 miles.

The following displays are on view at the radio show: The Radio Institute; DeForest-Crosley receivers and speakers; E. G. Prior & Co., large cabinet type superheterodyne; Canadian General Electric Co., Radiolas and the Panatrop loud speaker; Jim Bryant, Rogers batteryless receiver; Bremer-Tully instrument; and the Grebe line. Minty & White, Philco battery eliminators, which operate without tubes and are capable of serving the new power tubes.

The Radio Shop; King receivers and Radiola supers; Radio Specialties of Vancouver; Fada eight-tube instrument; Fletcher Brothers; Westinghouse Radiolas, featuring the latest batteryless instrument.

The Western Canada Radio Supply Co.; Fada and Rogers' sets and accessories; The Radio Sales Service; H. Vancouver; Erie line of efficient sets; S. Goucher; Rogers receivers and Philco eliminators.

The Sun Electric Co.; Neuro-tuning receiver; Kent Piano Co.; Fada and Crosley lines.

DOLLAR LINER SENDS CALL TO NAVY YARD

Passenger Is Dangerously Ill—U.S. Destroyer Is Studied With Two Surgeons

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Oct. 1.—An SOS call for medical assistance for a dangerously sick unnamed passenger was received at the Eleventh Naval District headquarters today from Capt. Porto, master of the Dollar Line steamer, President Harrison.

Capt. Porto requested that a suitably equipped vessel of the navy be dispatched at full speed to intercept the President Harrison on board the Dollar Line steamer, one of the Dollar Company's round-the-world fleet, is bound for San Pedro from Marella via Boston, New York, Havana and the Canal Zone. The steamer expected to meet the liner at noon tomorrow.

Two Verdicts Returned At Criminal Assizes

VANCOUVER, Oct. 1.—Two "not guilty" verdicts were returned by jurors today at the criminal assizes which are being taken by Mr. Justice Gregory. David P. Lowery, North Vancouver, who was charged with a statutory offense, was found not guilty and discharged.

The other case was that of Frederick J. Corbett, Whitechapel, charged with retaining stolen property. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty after an absence of ten minutes.

True bills were returned by the Grand Jury in two cases, that of Walter Nottingham, charged with attempted murder, and that of Alexander Bortoli, charged with perjury.

The Rhyming Optimist

By Alina Michaels

There have been men who had too much of gold, too many of all Earth's splendours—only things, so that their wealth and worldlyness untold made fetters hanging down their spirit's wings. There have been men who had such pride of place, with keen ambition ever gazing on, they had no eyes to see the oak tree's grace, no time to watch the budding use of dawn. So glad then, if in humble ways you go in tune with all the loveliness of Earth, if in your toll-filled hours you still can know the lily's magic and the robin's rattle.

ZWITZAU, Saxony, Oct. 1.—An earthquake was felt at this town last night, shaking houses in the centre of the city. The quake was severe enough to shake pictures from the walls of many residences.

Earthquake in Saxony

Obituary

KNIGHT—Funeral service was held at the Thompson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, yesterday afternoon for the late Mrs. Ethel May Knight, who passed away at the family residence, 1417 Crescent Road, Wednesday evening. The funeral was under the auspices of the First Church of Christ Scientist. During the service the hymn "O Gentle Rest" was sung. Dr. J. F. Hodgson presided at the organ. There was an unusually large attendance of friends and the beautiful floral designs which covered the casket and hearse bore testimony to the high esteem in which the late Mrs. Knight was held by her many friends. Messrs. David Leeming, Robert C. J. West, Col. Ralph Wilson, H. Hamlet, A. W. Pitkethly and Lieut.-Col. H. J. N. de Falls acted as pallbearers. The remains were laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

HANSON—The remains of the late Mrs. Henry Hanson, who passed away at the Royal Oak Burial Park, Thursday, were forwarded last night by the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home on the Ss. Maquina to Tofino, B.C., where interment will be made.

MacLEAN—The funeral of the late Roderick MacLean, of Santa Monica, Cal., who passed away in this city on Wednesday, was held yesterday afternoon at the McColl Bros. Funeral Home. A number of friends attended the service, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. MacVicar, of Jordan River, B.C.; Mr. MacVicar being a cousin of the deceased. The Rev. D. Walker conducted the service. Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park with the following pallbearers: Mr. E. Milne, D. McCaskill, A. McKinnon, M. McPhail, H. Bridge and E. Smith.

CASE—The funeral of the late Walter Richard Case, who passed away at his home, 1903 Birch Street, took place yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel, relatives and friends attending, and the casket was covered with beautiful flowers. The Rev. W. A. Guy officiated, and the pallbearers were Messrs. Cecil W. Case, Herbert Case, and the deceased's sons, Messrs. George R. Wilkinson and C. Willis. The body was laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

JOHNSTON—Funeral service was held yesterday for the late Mrs. Martha Wakefield Johnston, at her home, 1934 Linden Avenue. Mrs. Johnston, for the past nineteen years, was a resident of this city. The Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson officiated at a very impressive service at 2 o'clock. Relatives and many near friends were in attendance, and the many beautiful flowers testified to the high esteem in which the late Mrs. Johnston was held. Mrs. Jesse Longfield sang a solo entitled "Rest in the Lord." Mr. Johnston was a long-time member of the Victoria B.C. Funeral Home. The pallbearers were Messrs. F. C. Patterson, C. Stanson, O. F. Sommer and E. Hamilton. The remains were laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

HEWITT—The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Hewitt will take place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 1 o'clock, proceeding to Holy Trinity Church, Patricia Bay, where service will be conducted at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be made at Holy Trinity Cemetery.

BROWN—They passed away Thursday afternoon at the residence, 1824 Talmie Avenue, William Brown, aged seventy-five. He was born in Ballinamoy, Ireland, and had been a resident of this city for the past thirty-seven years. The late Mr. Brown was for many years gardener at Government House and at the Parliament Buildings. The remains are resting at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, whence the funeral will take place this afternoon at 3 o'clock, proceeding to St. Luke's Church at Cedar Hill, where private service will be held at 2:30 p.m. Interment will be made in St. Luke's Cemetery.

Mrs. Allan Stewart In Hospital After Automobile Crash

Specialists Issue Statement at Eastern Convention—Says Disease Is Not Hereditary

LAKE MOHONK, N.Y., Oct. 1.—An important weapon combating cancer was made ready for use when the works recognized authorities on the disease put into a single statement all the basic knowledge they have on the subject.

Dr. J. H. Ewing, regarded as the most important pronouncement on cancer ever made, was adopted at the closing session of the four-day symposium on cancer control, which was attended by more than 100 cancer specialists of the United States and several European countries.

Points concerning the disease on which the experts agree were incorporated in the statement, which is designed for the public and the medical profession alike. The statement follows:

"Although the present state of knowledge of cancer is not sufficient to permit the formulation of such procedures for the suppression of this malady as have been successfully employed for the suppression of infectious diseases, there is enough well-established fact and sound working opinion, diagnosis and treatment of cancer to save many lives if this information is carried properly into effect."

"Although the causation of cancer is not completely understood, it may be accepted that for all practical purposes cancer is not to be looked upon as contagious or infectious."

Is Not Hereditary

"Cancer itself is not hereditary, although a certain pre-disposition or susceptibility to cancer is apparently transmissible through inheritance. This does not signify that because one's parent or parents or other members of the family have suffered from cancer, cancer will necessarily appear in other persons of the same or succeeding generation."

"The control of cancer, so far as this subject can be understood at the present time, depends upon the intelligent co-operation of patient and physician."

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Okanagan McIntosh Red Apples, per lb. 5c

Spanish Onions, 7 lbs. for 25c

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Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon, piece cut; per lb. 25c

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City and District

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British Firms Fail Here Because of Reluctance to Change Goods to Suit Canadian Tastes—Investigation Profitable

TORONTO, (The Mail).—"We spent three thousand pounds on our exhibit at the Canadian National Exhibition and we haven't taken in a penny. When I get back to the Old Country I am going to tell the manufacturers in 'my trade' that the Canadian market is not worth the waste of time and money that Canadians do not want high quality goods."

The man who made this statement is a director of one of the oldest established British firms in his field, and he is chairman of the trade association in this field, numbering some 400 manufacturers. His firm accepted the invitation of the Federation of British Industries to put an exhibit in the British section of the Canadian National Exhibition in Toronto, his fall. Elaborate plans were made for the exhibit; big business in the Canadian market was expected as a result of this introduction of one of the best known British lines in Canada.

The business did not follow. There was, in fact, little evidence of more than passing interest in the remarkable goods displayed. One president of a big Canadian retail concern stopped at the exhibit and admired the goods on display. "Certainly, we'll order," he said, but when his buyer came to the exhibit next day he was equally firm that no order could be placed. "They are not just what we want," he said.

Another firm offered a big order if the goods on exhibit were changed somewhat. "I was never so amazed in my life," said the British director, in charge of the exhibit, "selling of the incident. 'We have been in business 150 years and we are recognized everywhere as the leaders in this line. Everywhere, our goods are accepted as the final achievement in our line. We have never had to change the style of our goods to suit any market, and we do not intend to do so now.'"

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Dislikes Food and Climate—There is another British manufacturer, whose goods have been sold in every part of the world, except South America. He was asked why he did not attempt to add this market to his many other markets. He replied: "I make it a rule in this business to visit all my markets at least once every two years. I do not mind going to India, to South Africa or to America, but I cannot stand the food and the climate in South America, so I do not intend to sell my goods there."

British manufacturers can sell in Canada only when they adopt the methods of marketing and selling that are used in this market. It is a case of doing as the Romans do. British manufacturers who come to Canada and hope to sell their goods here because they think their 200 years in business or their royal warrant will impress the Canadians and make them buy rather than be sold are doomed to disappointment. It is hard to make the British manufacturer see this. Some of them are a generation late in getting into the Canadian market because of this blindness.

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"Beau Geste"

A Great Mystery Story

By PERCIVAL CHRISTOPHER WREN

George Lawrence meets an old friend, Major Henri de Beaujolais. The latter tells him a strange story. He had taken a command of men to rescue the lonely fort at Zindeneuf, and on arriving there found all men within dead—but pressed in the embrasures. Inside he finds a commandant killed, and in his hand a note, signed by Michael Geste, a valuable sapphire, owned by Lady Brandon, who is "Beau Geste's" sister. Later that night the body of the young officer disappears and the fort is left on fire. George Lawrence, who has been in England to find out what the mystery is, and whether the "Blue Water" actually has been stolen. He is about to meet her.

Same pictures of horse and hound, and bird and beast; same antlers and foxes' masks and brushes; same trophies he had sent from Nigeria, specially good heads of lion, buffalo, gnu, and gazelle.

From these his eye traveled to the great fireplace, on each side of which stood a mounted lion's head. The elephant's foot, doing mental service, while above its stone mantel a fine trophy of African weapons gleamed. One of his greatest satisfactions had always been to see something worthy to be sent to Brandon Abbas—to give her pleasure and to keep him in mind.

And now, perhaps, was his real chance of giving his pleasure and keeping himself for a space, very much in his mind. He pulled the quilted old handle of a chain, and a distant bell changed.

A footman approached, a stranger. He would inquire as to whether her ladyship were at home. But as he turned to go the butler appeared in the doorway from the inner hall.

"Hullo, Hurdon! How are you?" said Lawrence.

"Why, Mr. George, sir?" replied the old man, who had known Lawrence for thirty years, coming forward and looking unaccountably human.

"This is a real pleasure, sir." It was a real five-pound note, too, when the visitor, a perfect gent, departed. Quite a source of income Mr. Lawrence had been ever since Henry Hurdon had been underfootman in the service of her ladyship's father.

"Her ladyship is at the Bower, sir, if you'd like to come straight out," he continued, looking at the visitor with a very old friend indeed, and always welcome. "I will announce you."

"Hurdon led the way. "How is Lady Brandon?" inquired Lawrence, impelled to unwanted loquacity by his nervousness.

"She enjoys very good health, sir—considering," replied the butler. "Considering what?" asked Lawrence.

"Everything, sir," was the noncommittal reply. The visitor smiled to himself. A good servant, this.

"And how is his Reverence?" he continued.

"Queer, sir, very. And gets queerer, poor gentleman," was the answer. Lawrence expressed regret at this lack of news concerning the chaplain, as the Reverend Maurice Ffoliot was always called in that house.

"Is Mr. Michael here?" he asked.

"No, sir, he isn't. Nor none of the other young gentlemen," was the reply. Was there anything unusual in the old man's tone?

Emerging from the shrubbery, crossing a rose garden, some lawn tennis courts and a daisy-pied stretch of cedar-studded sward, the pair entered a wood, followed a path beneath enormous oaks and beeches, and came out on to a square of velvet turf.

On two sides, the left and rear, rose the great old trees of a thickly forested hill; on the right, the grey old house; and from the front of this open space the hillside fell away to the famous view.

By wicker table and hammock, stand a lady reclined in a chaise longue. She was reading a book and her back was towards Lawrence, whose heart missed a beat and had hardened to make up for the omission by a redoubled speed.

The butler coughed at the right distance and upon the right note, and the visitor, hovered, placed a wicker chair, and faded from the scene.

"George!" said Lady Brandon, in her soft, deep contralto, with a gleam of brightening of her wide grey eyes and flash of beautiful teeth. But she did not flush nor pale, and there was no quickening of her breathing. It was an exhibition of a George Lawrence, unknown to other people.

"Well, my dear," he said, and looked long at the unlined if mature, determined, clever face before him—that of a woman of forty years, of strong character and of aristocratic breeding.

"Yes," he continued.

"Yes, what?" George asked Lady Brandon.

"Yes. You are positively as young and as beautiful as ever," he replied—but with no air of gallantry and compliment, and rather as a sober statement of ascertained fact.

"And you as foolish, George. Sit down—and tell me why you have disobeyed me and come here before your wedding. Or—were you married, George?" was the smiling reply.

"No, Patricia, I am not married," said Lawrence, relinquishing her hands now. "And I have disobeyed you, and come here again without bringing a wife, because I hoped you might be in need of my help."

"I mean, I feared you might be in trouble and in need of help, and hoped that I might be able to give it."

Lady Brandon fixed a penetrating gaze on Lawrence's face—neither startled nor alarmed, he felt, but keen and, possibly, to be described as wary, or at least watchful.

"Trouble? In need of help, George? How?" she asked, and whatever of weariness or watchfulness had peeped from her eyes retired, and her face became a beautiful mask, showing no more than reposeful and faintly amused interest.

"Well—it is a longish story," said Lawrence. "But I need not inflame you if you'll tell me if Beau Geste is all right—and—the 'Blue Water'—er—safe and sound—and—er—all the things you know."

"What?" ejaculated his hearer sharply.

There was no possible doubt now as to the significance of the look on Lady Brandon's face. It certainly could be called one of alarm, and her direct gaze was distinctly watchful and wary. Had not she also paled very slightly? Undoubtedly she frowned faintly as she asked:

"What are you talking about, George?"

"Beau Geste and the 'Blue Water,'" replied Lawrence. "If I appear to be talking through my hat, I am not really, and will produce reason for my wild, but not wicked, words," he laughed. "There is method in my madness, dear."

"There's madness in your method," replied Lady Brandon, a trifle tartly, and added: "Have you seen Michael, then? Or what? Tell me!"

"No. I have not seen him—but I don't know where he is."

"Then, what are you talking about? What do you know?" she interrupted, speaking hurriedly, a very sure sign that she was greatly perturbed.

"I don't know anything, Patricia, and I'm asking you, because I have, most extraordinarily, come into possession of a document that purports to be a confession by Beau that he stole the 'Blue Water,'" began Lawrence.

"Then it was . . ." whispered Lady Brandon.

"Was what, Patricia?" asked Lawrence.

"Go on, dear," she replied hastily. "How did you get this confession? Tell me quickly."

"As I said, it's a long story," replied Lawrence. "It was found by de Beaujolais at a place called Zindeneuf in the French Rouman, in the hand of a dead man."

"Not Michael!" interrupted Lady Brandon.

"No—a Frenchman. An adjutant in charge of a fort that had been attacked by Arabs."

"Our Henri de Beaujolais?" interrupted Lady Brandon again. "Who was at school with you? Rose Cary's son?"

"Yes. He found it in the dead officer's hand," replied Lawrence.

"Er—has the sapphire been stolen, Patricia, and—er—excuse me—question—is this Beau's writing?" and he thrust his hand into the inner pocket of his jacket.

"But, of course, I can't," he continued as he produced an envelope and extracted a stained and dirty piece of paper.

Lady Brandon took the latter and looked at it. Her face had, enigmatically, a puzzled frown marring the smoothness of her forehead, her firm, shapely mouth more tightly compressed than usual.

She read the document and then looked out into the distance, down thecombe, and across the green and smiling plain, as though communing with herself and deciding how to answer.

"Tell me the whole story from beginning to end, George," she said at length. "If it takes you the week-end. But tell me this, quickly. Do you know anything more than you have told me about either Michael or the 'Blue Water'?"

"I know nothing whatever, my dear," was the reply, and the speaker thought he saw a look of relief, or a lessening of the look of alarm on his hearer's face, "but what I have told you. You know as much as I do now—except the details, of course."

Lady Brandon had neither admitted nor denied that the sapphire had been stolen, had neither admitted nor denied that the handwriting was that of her nephew.

Obviously and undoubtedly there was something wrong, something queer, and in connection with Beau Geste, and she was missing and she did not know where he was.

But since all questions as to him, his handwriting, and the sapphire, the jewel had remained unanswered, he could only refrain from repeating them, and do nothing but tell his story, and at the end of it, say: "If the 'Blue Water' is not in this house, Patricia, I am going straight to Zindeneuf to find it for you."

She would then, naturally, give him all the information she could, and every assistance in her power—if the sapphire had been stolen.

If it had not, she would, of course, say so.

But he wished she would be a little less guarded, a little more communicative. It would be so very easy to say: "My dear George, the 'Blue Water' is in the safe in the Trieste Hotel, as usual, and Michael is in excellent health and spirits," or, on the other hand, to smile at once: "The 'Blue Water' has vanished, and so has Michael."

However, what Patricia Brandon did was right. Whatever course of action she pursued, she had some excellent reason, and he had no earthly cause to feel a little hurt at her reticence, in the matter.

For example, the impossibility had come to pass, and Beau Geste had stolen the sapphire and hid it, would it not be perfectly natural for her to feel most reluctant to have it known that her nephew was a thief—a despicable creature that robbed his benefactors?

Of course. She would even shield him, very probably—to such an extent as was compatible with the recovery of the jewel. Or if she were so angry, contemptuous, disgusted, as to feel no inclination to shield him, she would, at any rate, regard the affair as a disgraceful family scandal, about which the less said the better. Quite so.

But to him, who had unwaveringly loved her from his boyhood, and whom she frequently called her best friend, the woman to whom she would always turn for help, since the pleasure of helping her was the greatest pleasure he could have? Why be reticent, guarded, and uncommunicative to him?

But—her pleasure was her pleasure and his was to serve it in any way she desired to indicate. "Well, we'll have the sapphire, dear, and tea as well," said Lady Brandon more lightly and easily than she had spoken since he had mentioned the sapphire.

"We'll have it in my boudoir, and I'll be at home to nobody whomsoever. You shall just talk until it is time to dress for dinner, and tell me every least detail as you go along. Everything you think, too; everything that Henri de Beaujolais thought—and everything you think he thought, as well."

now," and pressed her hand that he had seized.

"Give it up and come home, George," said Lady Brandon, and he turned quickly toward her, his eyes adding: "Wife you brought me and you a wife," she continued.

Lawrence sighed and ignored the suggestion.

"How is Ffoliot?" he asked instead.

"Perfectly well, thank you. Why should he be?" was the reply—in the tone of which a careful listener, such as George Lawrence, might have detected a note of defensiveness, almost of annoyance, or repudiation of an unwarrantable implication.

If Lawrence did detect it, he ignored this also.

"Where is good Sir Hector Brandon?" he asked with casual politeness.

"Oh, in Tibet, or Paris, or East Africa, or Monte Carlo, or the South Sea Islands, or Hongkong. Actually Kashmir, I believe, thank you, George," replied Lady Brandon, and added: "Wife you brought me and you a wife," she continued.

"And how long have you been at the Brandon Arms, George?" she inquired.

"Five minutes," he answered.

"You must be tired of it, then, dear," said Lady Brandon, and added: "I'll send Robert down for your things."

(To Be Continued)

GANGES CHAPTER HAS GATHERING

PIONEER OF 1884 IS HONORED ON NINETEENTH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Joseph A. Akerman Went to Burgundy, B.C., to Visit Uninhabited Forest

SALT SPRING ISLAND, Oct. 1.—A most successful and enjoyable afternoon, organized by the Ganges Chapter, I.O.O.F., was held on Wednesday last at "Rockridge," the home of the Regent, Mrs. W. E. Scott, who very kindly lent her house for the occasion. A hostess was in charge of each of the seven tables, six of which were given up to bridge and the other to what.

Very delicious refreshments were served during the tea interval, and were provided by the hostesses. The management of the tea was in the hands of Mrs. P. B. and Mrs. C. P.

The winner of the first prize for bridge was Miss Gertrude Lang, the second Mrs. Charles Beddie, the third Mrs. D. S. Harris, the fourth Mrs. C. E. Scott, the fifth Mrs. A. Nichol, the sixth Mrs. P. B. and the seventh Mrs. C. P.

Among those present were: Mrs. A. C. Best, Mrs. T. Burkill, Miss Beddie, Miss Bond, Miss E. Headwell, Mrs. A. B. Cartwright, Mrs. J. D. Halley, Mrs. Stuart Holmes, Mrs. H. Johnson, Mrs. J. C. Lang, Miss Stella, Mrs. L. A. Scott, Mrs. C. E. Scott, Mrs. V. C. Scott, Mrs. A. Nichol, Mrs. P. B. and Mrs. C. P.

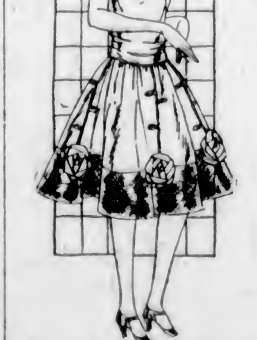
There was a very old-timer and the first woman to reside on the island, was the recipient of many good wishes and congratulations from her numerous friends and relatives when they met at her home last Monday to celebrate her nineteenth birthday. Mrs. Akerman was born in Hinckley, Leicestershire, England, on September 27, 1884, and on September 17, 1884, left for B.C. via Cape Horn, in a sailing ship called the Robert Love, which arrived in Victoria the following January, having taken about four months to complete the voyage. In May of the same year Mrs. Akerman was married to her late husband by the Rev. Matthew Macdonald, and on November 24, 1884, came to B.C. by the B.C. Railway, then an uninhabited forest and where, since then, she has resided.

Akerman has many close relatives on the island, and except for one, Mrs. J. Nightingale, all of her eight children are alive. She has also sixteen grandchildren, and seven great-grandchildren.

"There's a fly in this soup, Maria," said Mr. Akerman, when the worthy couple were dining at a fashionable London restaurant. "Hush, William," said his wife, warningly: "don't show your ignorance. You know the names of the dishes are all French, and maybe it was fly soup we ordered."

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont



Pictured above is a lovely little dress of fine fabric. The collar is of net, and the skirt is finished with transparent tulle to match the collar. The flowers are placed at the junction of the tulle and the skirt.

Any evening shades would be attractive for this model. An old blue with rose flowers, or a deep yellow with blue flowers are two suggestions.

BRITISH LABOR NOT GOING RED

EX-MINISTER SCOTTS AT IDEA—SAYS WORKINGMEN IN ENGLAND SENSIBLE

By Hon. F. O. Roberts Says Co-operation Needed Between Britain and Canada—Dole Helpful

MONTREAL, Oct. 1.—Described by Lloyd George as "the most benevolent looking revolutionary since the days of Robespierre," the Rt. Hon. F. O. Roberts, former Minister of Pensions in the Ramsay MacDonald Government, and M.P. for West Bromwich in the British House of Commons, who attended the Trade and Labor Congress forty-second annual convention at the fraternal delegates from the British Trades Union Congress, scoffs at the idea of British Labor ever going Red.

With a shock of silvery hair which gave him a very Lloyd-George-like demeanor, Mr. Roberts, discoursing in an interval of the congress on the non-revolutionary outlook of the British working man.

"There is a certain amount of Russian influence in Great Britain, but the efforts made are quite infinitesimal," he said. "Personally, I have no fear. The British working man is too sensible. The thought of the British democracy has been brought correctly interpreted by the vote at the two last labor conferences in Great Britain, when application was made for admission of the Communist Party. The application on each occasion was overwhelmingly defeated."

As yet Mr. Roberts has seen only a small part of Canada—part of Ontario and Quebec, but already he is convinced that Canada is "a very glorious country indeed," and he is highly appreciative of the warm welcome which has been extended to him wherever he has visited.

Interested in the immigration question, Mr. Roberts while he waited to comment in view of the fact he has seen but little of Canada to date is yet impressed with the need for closer co-operation between Great Britain and Canada in the devising of settlement schemes. There is every reason to think a good scheme should be devised, he said, and confessed that he himself likes the idea of family settlement.

No Compulsion

"In looking at the various schemes which have been presented in the Old Country," he added, "it has sometimes seemed to me that there is just an element on the part of Great Britain of suggested compulsion, by the regarding of such schemes as helpful in solving our own economic and employment problems. Emigration to be successful, either for the emigrant or the country to which he is going, must be purely voluntary. Then perhaps the greatest good can be derived."

Approves Dole

The former Minister of Pensions does not believe that unemployment insurance has hindered emigration. "I don't think it has had a bad effect on the morale of the people either, generally speaking," he said. "You can find a few incidental cases where the system of unemployment insurance has been abused, but industrial insurance has been one of the greatest safeguards for Great Britain."

"Generally speaking, the British worker, man or woman, is willing to work if work can be found, and that is amply demonstrated, to my mind, by the fact that whenever utility schemes of employment are organized by any Government authority, men



RT. HON. F. O. ROBERTS

drawing unemployment benefit are always ready to accept an engagement. Questioned concerning danger of inspired morale in connection with young people receiving unemployment benefit, Mr. Roberts said the Labor policy with regard to young people out of work was that a policy of education should be followed which should extend over that period. "In considering the cases of boys and girls of that age," he added, "the serious effects of blind alley occupations which allow young people to go on for years in an automatic job that necessarily ceases when they approach manhood and womanhood, must be taken into consideration."

There was some indication that many of the best employers in Great Britain were trying to avoid the danger of the blind alley job, and in this direction the Joint Industrial Council, which was now working through the Ministry of Labor, in some trades was doing a great deal of good, and would possibly do much more good.

MEMORY OF GREAT WAR IS KEPT ALIVE

"Flamme du Souvenir" Daily Visited by Some Association of Veterans in Paris—Traces Obliterated

PARIS (By Mail).—The war is far from being forgotten in France, and one proof of the fact is that every day of the year some association of veterans comes to the Arc de Triomphe to keep alive the "flamme du souvenir" at the tomb of the unknown soldier.

Recently on the anniversary of Great Britain's entry into the war, that ceremony was performed by a delegation of the Paris branch of the British Legion, whose bugle sounded the "Last Post."

In connection with this anniversary, it is recalled that there is still preserved, on a wall in Paris where it was originally posted, a copy of the general mobilization order of August 2, 1914. This is on the doorstep of No. 1 Rue Royale. The building was at one time the home of the famous Cercle de la rue Royale, which has since been amalgamated with the Cercle Agricole in the rue d'Orsay, thus reducing the already very small number of Paris clubs.

There is, however, the American Red Cross, the subsequent occupants of the house, who preserved the notice by putting a glass over it. The business firm which has succeeded the Red Cross has now further added an iron trellis.

There are, indeed, few traces of the war left in Paris. The Church of St. Gervaise and the other buildings seriously damaged by Big Bertha have long since been repaired. There remain a few walls whose stones still show marks of shellbursts, such as the corner of the Credit Lyonnais, the



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6. Don't leave sweepings on a piece of paper; put them in the stove.
7. In cleaning furnaces with oil or wax, use only small quantities at a time and burn the polluting matter.

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AVIATOR MAKES TRIUMPHAL FLIGHT UP THAMES AND PAST SHIPPING PORTS

Successful Test of Proposed Route to Antipodes and Back Makes Empire Distances Less

LONDON, Oct. 1.—Not since the war-time air raids, have so many English necks been craned toward the sky as there were this afternoon for the triumphant home coming of Alan J. Cobham from Australia, marking the first time that the long air journey from England to Australia and return has been accomplished.

After a series of manoeuvres that thrilled the crowds along the Thames, Cobham's big hydroplane settled on the water of that historic river, and glided to a resting place in front of the Houses of Parliament. Here were gathered men, the high in the councils of the British Empire, on terrace to welcome the aerial pathfinder, whose simple and homely greeting was: "How do you do, everybody," as he turned to embrace his wife.

Notable Spectacle

The last few miles of Cobham's 25,000-mile aerial jaunt constituted a memorable spectacle. England's distance flying was first touched in England at Reading, where the seafront was thronged by thousands of town folk. Villagers and rustics all through Kent came out in crowds to watch him soar over the countryside. He passed Maidstone, Rochester and Gravesend and then followed the Thames toward London. Both banks of the river were thronged as the noted aviator swooped low along it until he reached the East End of London. Ships in the river fired rockets to greet him, and thousands of Londoners flocked to the roofs of the city and to the embankments. Cobham swept past Westminster and roared on to Hammer-smith where he turned and sped back to London, circling Big Ben in the tower of the House of Commons, skimming over Westminster Bridge and then gliding to the river.

When his hydroplane touched the water, Cobham had completed a journey that carried him a greater distance than the circumference of the earth, that had occupied 250 hours actual flying time and that had helped British stay-at-home realize that their empire was more compact than it had once been. "Hurrah up," Cobham shouted to his mechanic, Ward and Captain. "There are half a million people waiting for me."

Message From the King

A minute later they were being greeted by official England. A personal message from King George V. commended the flyers and expressed thanks for the whole nation for their safe return. Typical of the regularity which Cobham observed in his entire flight, which started at 10 a.m. in London, the last lap, only a few minutes off his schedule. Cobham then motored to his home in the north of London for a quiet evening which was interrupted only for a short time when he broadcasted a personal account of his flight over the radio. Asked when he would fly up flying, Cobham, who is estimated to have flown 500,000 miles, replied: "I'll give up flying only when I am too old to get into a plane."

VISITING HOTELMEN WILL DINE TONIGHT

"Caravan Tour" From Southwestern Washington Will Conclude in Victoria

Prominent hotelmen will be guests at the dinner to be given by the Southwestern Washington Hotelmen's Association at the Dominion Hotel this evening, at 7 o'clock.

To discuss with the visitors the opportunities for joint publicity in the interests of the Pacific Northwest, the directors of the Victoria Publicity Bureau will attend the dinner. It is announced.

The tour has taken the form of a caravan itinerary to Victoria, which will end when the party arrives on the R. D. from Port Angeles. Representatives from Olympia, Longview, Astoria, Chehalis, Aberdeen, Port Angeles and other cities of Washington will be present.

The visitors have just completed a caravan trip over the Olympic Peninsula and Western Washington as far south as the Columbia River.

Governor-General Honored by McGill

One of the First Functions of Lord Willington Will Be Visit To Famous University

The new Governor-General of Canada will make his first utterance in the Dominion at the convocation on Founder's Day at McGill University, when the honorary degree of L.L.D. will be conferred upon him.

Vacant Willington receives this honor as a recognition of his notable public services. He will attend the 10th Graduates' Reunion in his capacity as Visitor of the University, for this position is held ipso facto by the King's Representative, as McGill operates under a Royal Charter, and its grounds are sanctuary from Provincial or Federal jurisdiction. Invitations for the reunion, which takes place from October 6 to October 9, have already been accepted by over 1,000 persons. Among the guests, some of whom received their honors from McGill over half a century ago. They will find many material changes in their alma mater, but will know that its high traditions have always been fully maintained.

Federal Government Takes Hand at Chicago

CHICAGO, Oct. 1.—The Federal Government took a hard look at the affairs of Chicago, the turbulent city, and indicted a group of Chicago officials of conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws. The writs returned by a Federal jury named Joseph E. Kilpatrick, mayor, Theodore G. Schuch, chief of police, "Scarface" Al Capone gangster overlord of the suburb, Miles and "Klen-dick" O'Donnell, chiefs of an opposing gang, and Henry Madison.

Six Properties Realize \$1,130 At City Tax Sale

SIX tax sale properties realized the sum of \$1,130 for the city treasury at yesterday morning's city tax sale at the City Hall, which was conducted by Treasurer Edwin C. Smith. Owing to the civic court of revision sessions being scheduled to take place in the Council Chamber at the same hour as the tax sale, the latter only lasted about five minutes. Thirty-four properties have been disposed of at the sale during the first two days, the sum of \$7,380 being obtained thereby. The sale continues this morning at 10 o'clock at the City Hall.

Fatally Hurt in Fall

CONTRECOEUR, Que., Oct. 1.—Mrs. Jean Marie Renaud was fatally injured and her husband, J. Renaud, suffered serious injury when a balcony on which they were making some repairs gave way, plunging both to the pavement below.

Radio Programmes Saturday

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (299.5 m.)—10 p.m. by the courtesy of The Daily Colonist, the Musical Garden Orchestra, Bill C. and his group.
CFMA, Vancouver, B.C. (411 m.)—12:30 p.m., radio dealers' programme; 3:30 p.m., variety programme; 5:30 p.m., radio dealers' programme; 7:30 p.m., variety programme.
CFPD, Vancouver, B.C. (110.1 m.)—Special anniversary programme, commencing at 7:15 p.m. and carrying on till the wee small hours.
CFRD, Vancouver, B.C. (411 m.)—12:30 p.m., news.
CNR, Edmonton, Alta. (45.5 m.)—10:45 p.m., dance programme by the Academy Orchestra, direct from the Broadway Academy of Dancing.
CFVE, Vancouver, B.C. (410.7 m.)—7:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m., "Afternoon at Home," local and foreign news, weather report, 7:45 p.m., sports and amusements, 8:15 p.m., "Travel Talk," weather report, 8:30 p.m., "Radio's Katerinners."
KFOA, Long Beach, Cal. (234.4 m.)—4 p.m., KFOA Concert Orchestra, 5:30 p.m., KFOA Concert Orchestra, 7:30 p.m., KFOA Concert Orchestra, 9:30 p.m., KFOA Concert Orchestra.
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New Velour Coats With Trimmings of Alaskan Hare

These handsome coats are fashioned from excellent quality fabrics, modeled in the new straightline styles, with smart set-in sleeves, side trimmings of plaits, applique and fancy stitching. Choose from fawn, rust, Havana, garnet and royal blue. Sizes 16 to 38. A great value at.....

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Covered in downproof cambric with saten panels in contrasting colors, well filled with down and ventilated. Prices are \$6.95, \$7.95 and \$8.95.

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A splendid offering in an English Down Comforter. Extra well filled with fine Arctic down and ventilated. Shown in a splendid range of desirable patterns. Size 60 by 72. Price, \$11.50.

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In the popular Paisley design; extra well filled with down, with art silk French panels; size 66 by 72. Price, each \$16.50.

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"Kenwood" Pure Wool Blankets

Made from virgin wool, giving luxurious comfort without weight and finished with satin bound edges. Shown in dainty plaid effects in rose and white, mauve and white, tan and white, green and white, blue and white, rose, white and blue, also in solid colors of rose, peach, blue, mauve, tan and green.

Size 60 by 84. Price, each, \$9.75.

Size 72 by 84. Each, \$11.25.

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"Kenwood" Pure Wool Slumber Throws
A very attractive bed covering in a basket weave effect, giving great warmth without weight. Finished with satin bound edges. Choose from apricot, blue, tan and green; size 60 by 72. Price, each \$7.95.

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Novelty Check Crepe Satin, \$1.98 a Yard

An effective fabric for afternoon and evening wear. Shown in all the leading shades, including Chin Chin blue, palmetto, cyclamen, cedar, orchid, rose, periwinkle, etc.; 35 inches wide. Per yard \$1.98.

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A beautiful fabric for your Winter coat. Has that rich bloom which gives a very dressy appearance to the garment. Shown in all the leading shades, including silver, French lilac, Canton, jungle green, wineberry, claret, rose petal, Chin Chin blue and ruby, also navy and black. Per yard \$4.95.

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Tweed Coats Fur-Trimmed, Specially Priced at \$22.50

Made from cosy tweeds in flecked and show plaid designs. Some have wrappy armholes and mushroom collars of mouflon, while others with neat, close fitting sleeves have collars and cuffs of tinted Thibet lamb. Sizes 16 to 38. Price.....

\$22.50



Fur-Trimmed Coats for Larger Women

Fashioned from soft suede-like velour in styles that give a slim outline. Side trimmings are featured in the form of novelty braiding, embroidery, flat plaits, etc. Handsome collars of Thibet lamb with cuffs to match. Choose from newest Fall shades. Sizes 40 to 46. Price.....

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Best in style, best in quality, and best in value. Hats to suit every age and every type, from the bobbed hair miss to the matron who still wears her hair unbobbed. We welcome inspection.

Trimmed and Tailored Hats at \$7.95

At this popular price we have a very wide selection of beautiful Autumn and Winter hats in the smartest styles of the new season. Included are velvets, felts and velours in all colors and black. Special at.....

\$7.95

New Arrival of Felt Hats

In a wonderful variety of styles and colors. Three big groups at \$2.95, \$3.95 and \$5.95.

Girls' Hats at \$1.95

Tailored Cloth and Plush Hats for girls from five to ten years. Have rolled-up and drooped brims, some in plain colors, others embroidered in contrasting shades. Price.....

\$1.95

Girls' Dress Hats at \$2.95

Smartly Trimmed Hats in all colors, some with touches of fur and ribbon. Many styles to choose from. All exceptional value at \$2.95.

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D & A Corsettes, \$1.75

Made from dainty batiste and lightly boned over abdomen, elastic gusset for expansion, two sets of hose supporters, side front fastening; sizes 32 to 38. Price.....

\$1.75

—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Women's Fall Underwear

Women's Wool Vests, 100% pure wool, lovely soft quality. Choice of low neck and built-up shoulders or V-neck and short sleeves; sizes 36 to 44. Price.....

\$1.95

High neck and long sleeves. Price.....

\$2.25

Women's Fleece-Knit Bloomers

Warm and serviceable garments, in orchid, buff, grey, cream and black. Per pair.....

\$0.95

—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

New Arrival of Girls' Ribbed Wool Hose

Made from Australian Botany yarns in 1-1 rib, with spliced heels and toes. Shown in white, sizes 4 to 10; black, brown, sand, camel and grey in sizes 6 to 10, and red in 5 to 6½.

Sizes 4 and 4½. Price, per pair.....

\$0.50

Sizes 5 and 5½. Price, per pair.....

\$0.50

Sizes 6 and 6½. Price, per pair.....

\$0.50

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Women's Colored Oilskin Raincoats, \$7.95

These fashionable raincoats are made from serviceable oilskin in a variety of attractive colors. Have corduroy velvet collars with strap fastening, patch pockets with flap and mannish set-in sleeves; sizes 36 to 40. Price.....

\$7.95

Others in colored and white rubber at.....

\$10.95

—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Attractive Offerings in Girls' School Wear

A Big Special in Girls' Two-Piece Jersey Suits at \$6.98.

Fine Quality All-Wool Jersey, made with convertible collar, fastening with novelty buttons, two pockets, long sleeves with neat fitting cuffs. Skirt has two kick plaits. Choose from steel blue, Indian red and apple brown; sizes 8 to 14 years. Wonderful value at.....

\$6.98

Girls' Flannel Dresses

Serviceable school garments in wool flannel, straight style with Peter Pan collar, two pockets and patent leather belt. Another smart style has kick plaits in skirt. Neck, sleeves and belt trimmed with military braid. Choose from scarlet, Copenhagen, ashes of roses, melon and lavin green; sizes 8 to 14 years. Price.....

\$4.75

Girls' Raincoapes

English make, best quality rubber capes, full cut, plaid lined hood. Choose from tan, brown, blue, fawn, navy and black. Sizes 4 to 7 years. Priced at.....

\$3.95

Sizes 8 to 12 years. Prices.....

\$4.50 and \$4.75

Girls' Raincoats

English make, well made garments in best quality rubber, double-breasted, buttoned-up collar, two pockets and all-round belt, in shades of tan, brown, powder blue, red and black; sizes 7 to 14 years. Prices, according to size.....

\$4.95 to \$6.95

Sou'westers to match, at.....

\$1.25 and \$1.95

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Coats for Little Girls



A splendid assortment of coats for girls, one to six years. Made from durable quality blanket cloth or fine velour, plain tailored or trimmed with good quality fur. Shown in sandalwood, powder blue, ashes of roses, lavin green and beaver. Prices from.....

\$3.95 to \$16.50

Hats to match coats in pretty poke shapes, trimmed with bands of fur, dainty rosettes or applique designs. Prices.....

\$2.25 to \$2.95

Children's Winter Reefers

Good Quality Nap Cloth Reefers, well tailored and lined with red flannel. Suitable for boys or girls; sizes 2 to 6 years. Price.....

\$4.95

"Macfarlane" School Shoes for Girls

Fawn Calf Oxfords with tan calf trimming. Blucher style, with flexible stitched leather soles and rubber heels.

Sizes 8 to 10½. Per pair.....

\$3.25

Sizes 11 to 2. Per pair.....

\$3.95

Brown Calf and Black Gunmetal Calf Oxfords, in Blucher style, with double soles and Goodyear welted leather soles, rubber heels. Sizes 11 to 2. Per pair.....

\$5.00

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First-of-the-Month Specials in High-Class Food Supplies

If you can't come to the store give us your order over the phone. It will have the same careful attention as though you were shopping in person. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Hudson's Bay Company's "Seal of Quality" Creamery Butter, per lb. 42¢
3 lbs. for \$1.23
No. 1 Quality Creamery Butter, per lb. 40¢
3 lbs. for \$1.17
Choice Quality Creamery Butter, per lb. 38¢
3 lbs. for \$1.12
Pure Bulk Lard, per lb. 22¢
3 lbs. for 63¢

Finest Quality B.C. Granulated Sugar, 20-lb. paper sack \$1.43
Royal Crown Laundry Soap, 6 bars to carton 27¢
Lever Bros Lifebuoy Soap, 6 cakes for 36¢
Harry Horne's Double Cream Custard Powder, 16-oz. tin 32¢

Marmalade Special

Shirriff's Seville Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin 58¢

Shirriff's Assorted Jelly Powders, Tru-Fruit flavors, 4 packages for 24¢
Honolulu Lady Brand New Season's Hawaiian Pineapple, sliced, per No. 2 tin 19¢
Imported French Peas, per tin 55¢
3 tins for 165¢
Hero Brand Canned Cauliflower, per tin 22¢
Freshly Made and Decorated Ribbon Cakes, Special, each 34¢
Bensdorf's Pure Dutch Cocoa, Special, per tin 37¢
Sun-Maid Brand Nectar Seedless Raisins, pkgs., 2 packages for 36¢
La Parfait Brand Pure Castile Soap, Special, per bar 21¢

Selected Side Breakfast

Bacon

Machine sliced, per lb. 46¢
By the side or half side, per lb. 43¢

Selected Smoked Picnic Hams, per lb. 26¢
Selected Smoked Cottage Rolls, per lb. 37¢
Sweet Pickled Cottage Rolls, per lb. 35¢
Sweet Pickled Picnic Hams, per lb. 25¢

Flour Special

Five Roses, Royal Household and Purity Flour

24-lb. sack, Special \$1.29
at.....
49-lb. sack, Special \$2.48
at.....
98-lb. sack, Special \$4.93
at.....

Prime Ontario Cheese, mild quality, per lb. 28¢
Fine Old Ontario Cheese, fully matured, per lb. 32¢

Swift's Silverleaf Lard

Swift's Lard, in 1-lb. moisture-proof containers, per lb. 22¢

Swift's Premium Side Breakfast Bacon, per lb. 63¢
Swift's Boneless Hams, sliced, per lb. 55¢
Swift's Premium Boiled Ham, per lb. 63¢
Machine Sliced Yorkshire Roll, per lb. 40¢
Sliced Corned Beef, per lb. 30¢
Sliced Lunch Tongue, per lb. 55¢

Beach-Eakins' Pure New Season's Strawberry Jam

Locally made and most excellent quality, 4-lb. tin 59¢

Hudson's Bay Company's Special Breakfast Tea, per lb. 55¢
3 lbs. for \$1.60
Hudson's Bay Company's Ceylon Broken Orange Pekoe Tea, per lb. 65¢
3 lbs. for \$1.90
Hudson's Bay Company's Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, per lb. 45¢

B.C. Sockeye Salmon

Horseshoe Brand B.C. Sockeye Salmon, No. 1 flat tin 20¢
3 tins for 58¢

Fruit and Vegetables

Okanagan McIntosh Red Apples

Direct from the orchard, jumble pack, Special, per box \$1.32

New Florida Grapefruit, each 20¢ and 25¢
Fresh Celery, per stick 10¢ and 15¢
Good Sound Cooking Onions, 10 lbs. for 25¢
Local Quince, for jelly, 3 lbs. for 25¢

California Sunkist Lemons, good size, per dozen 29¢

Green Bell Peppers, 2 lbs. for 25¢
Red Bell Peppers, 2 lbs. for 35¢
Fancy Tokay Grapes, 2 lbs. for 35¢
Fancy Seedless Grapes, 2 lbs. for 25¢

Finest Local Crab Apples, 8 lbs. for 25¢
Local Stewing Pears, 8 lbs. for 25¢

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Candy Specials

Butterscotch Drops, per lb. 28¢
Assorted Chocolates, creams and hard centres, per lb. 46¢
Fresh Turkish Delight and Creme-de-Menthe, lb. 32¢
Fancy Hard Boiled Mixture, per lb. 25¢

Cadbury's Chocolate Bars

Comprising Milk Coffee Creams, Marzipan Walnuts, Macaroon Squares and Chocolate Marshmallows. Special, 6 25¢

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Fresh Meat Specials for Today's Shoppers

CHOICE STEER BEEF

Sirloin and T-Bone, per lb. 29¢
Wing Loins, per lb. 25¢
Prime Rib Roast, per lb. 23¢
Sirloin Tip Roast, per lb. 25¢
Thick Rib Roast, per lb. 17¢
Pot Roast, per lb. 12½¢ and 15¢
Plate and Brisket, per lb. 10¢

PORK

Legs, whole or half, per lb. 30¢
Loins, cut to suit, per lb. 35¢
Shoulders, trimmed, per lb. 25¢
Pickled Pork, per lb. 28¢
Imperial Pork Sausages, per lb. 30¢
Beef and Pork Sausages, per lb. 20¢
Pig's Head, per lb. 12½¢
Pig's Hocks, per lb. 15¢

MUTTON

Legs, whole or half, per lb. 29¢
Loins, whole or half, per lb. 27¢
Shoulders, whole or half, per lb. 19¢

LAMB

Legs, whole or half, per lb. 40¢
Shoulders, whole or half, per lb. 27¢
Lamb Stew, per lb. 20¢

BABY BEEF

Rounds, per lb. 30¢
Loins, per lb. 28¢
Rumps, per lb. 25¢
Shoulders, per lb. 18¢
Necks and Breasts, per lb. 10¢
Large Sharps, each 40¢

POULTRY

Fowl, average 4 to 6 lbs., per lb. 30¢
Fowl, average 1 to 4 lbs., per lb. 25¢
Chicken, average 1 to 2 lbs., per lb. 42¢
Chicken, average 1½ to 2½ lbs., per lb. 32¢

VEAL

Veal Legs, average 10 lbs., per lb. 25¢
Fillet, 4 to 8 lbs., per lb. 35¢
Loins, cut to suit, per lb. 30¢
Rumps, average 5 lbs., per lb. 27¢
Shoulders, per lb. 20¢

SMOKED FISH

Spruce's Salted Cod, per lb. 24¢
Spruce's Mild Smoked Salmon, per lb. 15¢
Golden Star Smoked Salmon, per lb. 24¢
Finnish Haddock, per lb. 19¢
Pickled Tongue, per lb. 32¢
Corned Filet of Beef, per lb. 22¢
Corned Beef, per lb. 10¢
Corned Plate, per lb. 12½¢
H.B.C. Beef Sausage, 2 lbs. for 25¢
Minced Steak, per lb. 15¢

1,000 lbs. Prime Ribs, average 4 to 6 lbs., per lb. 25¢

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

"Medicine First," Official Adjures Retail Druggists

Compounding of Prescriptions for Evening's Patients Now Minor Reason for Late Opening of Drug Stores, Says Pharmacist

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Although the modern drug store is usually devoted more to the sale of cosmetics, sundries and soft drinks than to preparation of drugs, druggists should not make the mistake of abandoning pharmacy in their stores, Dr. Robert P. Flachella, secretary of the Board of Pharmacy of the State of New Jersey, said yesterday. Dr. Flachella is president of the Drug Trade Bureau of Public Information, in Newark.

"Pharmacy holds a valuable franchise," said Dr. Flachella. "It is the public belief that the compounding of prescriptions and the dispensing of drugs, medicines and poisons are functions demanding special education and the technical skill to be gained only through practical experience. It is upon this theory solely that legal restrictions upon the practice of pharmacy can be defended."

"It is always in order, therefore, to inquire whether pharmacists are doing all that is reasonably necessary to retain a legal hold upon their professional franchise."

The original reason for keeping open far into the night was to take care of the prescriptions brought in by the evening patients of physicians

and emergency demands. Today these are minor reasons. The public has been educated to expect drug stores to be open late and now look to them as a source of supply for anything they have forgotten to buy at the grocery, hardware shop or stationery store during the day.

"The American citizen wants what he wants when he wants it. Originally the only things he wanted from a drug store were drugs, medicines and sick-room supplies. One store would supply a large community with all of these, for happily most people are not sick during much of their lifetime."

But in these days of concentration of population, the resulting enormous apartment houses and hotels that frequently are able to accommodate the entire population of a small town and many times the number of inhabitants of some that are called towns, the problem is different.

These people want to be served quickly, and in order that they may have the pharmaceutical service of the drug store when they want it, the druggist must be conveniently at hand all the time. This requires numerous stores in locations where rents are not low and other expenses are greater than the income from strictly pharmaceutical activities will warrant. Hence the expansion into related and unrelated merchandising fields.

"Some pharmacists in their enthusiasm for the merchandising phase of their business, seem to forget the phase which makes merchandising possible. Building up a prescription business based on the confidence of physicians and public, keeping abreast of the new developments in pharmacy and the sciences related to pharmacy, and being prepared to supply all that is needed for the healing of the sick, promptly when required, is admittedly harder work than buying and selling merchandise of one kind or another but if more than a merchant is to mean anything at all, more of us must do some of this harder work."

GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP MATCHES COME HERE

SEATTLE, Oct. 1.—J. A. Bayward, Victoria, is slated for president of the Pacific Northwest Golf Association meeting here tomorrow. Dr. Tom Watts, of Portland, Ore., has been agreed upon as vice-president, with the secretary and treasurer to be elected from a Victoria club.

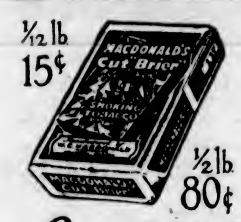
Inglewood, of Seattle, and the Portland Golf Club each bid for the 1928 tournament. Colwood Club, of Victoria, has been awarded the 1927 championship matches.

Little Bob (about to go out with mother)—"Mamma, you must take some money with you."

Mother—"No, Bob. I'm not going to use any."

Little Bob—"Yes, you must have money for chocolates; I might start crying on the street, you know."

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IMPASSE IS REACHED IN PLAYER QUESTION

Each Member of President Calder's Committee Presents Different Solution of Difficulty

MONTREAL, Oct. 1.—An impasse has been reached over the question of settlement in the player tangle, between the National Hockey League, the Boston Club of the National Hockey League, and the Patrick brothers, of the defunct Western Hockey League.

The committee of the President Frank Calder, of the National Hockey League, Leo Dandurand and James Strachan, met yesterday to attempt to reach a solution of the difficulty. Each presented a suggestion. All were different, and the committee was unable to formulate a composite solution from the three. As a result it was decided to submit the three "minority" reports to the next meeting of the N.H.L.

In the meantime the question of who own seven players, claimed to have been purchased by Boston from the Patrick, and what is the status of the other Western players not yet sold by the Western magnates, or who are all free agents, is still unanswered.

MR. COOK SUGGESTED FOR NEW POSITION

Radical Element Would Like Him for Secretary of International Miners' Federation

OTTAWA, Oct. 1.—Refusing the request of the British miners to call a general coal strike on the continent, the moderate element among the leaders of Europe's coal diggers today won a victory over the left wing group of the International Miners' Conference.

Most of the continental delegates were firmly resolved against a general stoppage in their industry. They said that they were perfectly willing to contribute all that they could in order to lend financial aid to the British strikers and to do all that was possible to prevent the exportation of coal into England. At the same time, they added, they were not prepared to lay down their picks and shovels and give up their own means of livelihood.

Some of the continental delegates at today's session said that the discussions thus far indicated that without the support of Russian gold the British strike would have ended long ago for lack of funds. It was asserted during the meeting that the Russians already have contributed £750,000 to British miners. American miners, thus far, have contributed \$50,000.

New Post for Mr. Cook
Reports were in circulation today that the radical element at the conference intended to oust Mr. Frank Hodges from his position as secretary of the International Miners' Federation and to give the post to Mr. A. J. Cook, secretary of the British Miners' Federation.

When Mr. Hodges was asked whether it was true that he was about to resign, he answered, "I am sticking to my job." Some of the delegates to the conference were of the opinion that he has been unable to satisfy it because the Oatend fishing fleet of late has found it more profitable to carry coal to Newcastle and other British ports than to go fishing.

SUGGEST OTTAWA FOR IMPERIAL CONFERENCE

Proposal Is Made by National Review, Which Also Asks Question of Prime Minister King

LONDON, Oct. 1.—"Why does not Mackenzie King strive for immigration within the Empire, and silence all the capricious critics of his supposed lukewarmness to the Imperial cause by boldly inviting the Imperial Conference, after its October session in London, to hold a second session in Ottawa to discuss the question that embarrases the Dominion as well as the Mother Country?"

This question is asked by the "National Review," which is edited by Mr. L. Mackenzie King in Canada, South Africa, Australia, and even in some circles in New Zealand. The National Review continues, "is stimulated by mischief makers who accuse the Imperial Conference of perpetually lying in wait to steal a march on the innocent Governments of the Dominions and entangle them in minor constitutional complications that are hatched in the Foreign Office and in the Admiralty and War Office. The real difficulty is to persuade any appreciable number of Canadians, Australians and New Zealanders to take the faintest interest in questions which concern them as much as the people of the Motherland."

Germans Avoid Italy

Possibly on account of the ill-feeling between Germany and Italy engendered by the controversy regarding German agitation and the substitution of German for the German language in schools and courts of Southern Tyrol by the Fascist Government and also by the fact that the decline in the exchange value of the franc has made visits to Paris unusually attractive this summer, there has been a sharp drop in the number of German tourists in Italy according to Berlin papers. On the other hand, Italian newspapers report that the German colonies in leading Italian cities have grown to about their pre-war figure. There are 3,714 Germans in Milan, 1,636 in Turin, 1,043 in Rome, 789 in Naples and 500 in Florence.

Woman Murdered

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 1.—The murdered body of Mrs. Minnie Wells, thirty-two, an attractive business woman, was found by highway patrol, her business associate, late today concealed under a pile of old clothes in a closet of a vacant flat in the Mission district. After a preliminary inspection, police held Blair for investigation, but at the same time checked on the possibility that the woman was killed in another attack by the "Dark Stranger," who has terrorized women of the San Francisco Bay district since last February. Mrs. Wells had been missing since last Saturday.

LEASE OF FIVE YEARS LIKELY

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straight, place and show betting be installed at the Willows.

The successful tenderer will be required to furnish bonds for due performance of its contract. The B.C. Agricultural Association's charter will be at the disposal of the organization that obtains the racing privilege, it is proposed.

City to Pay Oak Bay Fee

Another of the committee's recommendations will be that the city take over the money paid for the racing privilege, and out of that amount pay to Oak Bay its fee for the racing licence.

Whichever racing association obtains the racing privilege, it must recognize the powers that the Agricultural Association may issue.

The deputations that conferred with the public works committee was as follows: Messrs. W. H. Munn, W. H. Mearns, A. E. Humphries and George Sangster, B.C. Agricultural Association, and Hon. T. G. Coventry, M.P.P., and Mr. Percy Fox, Colwood Park Association. Mr. J. de Curtis, of the Australian Automatic Totalisator Company.

PLOT AGAINST SHAH COMES NEAR SUCCESS

Word Leaks Out at Last Moment—Crown Prince and Many Others Were to Be Put to Death

TEHRAN, Persia, Oct. 1.—The plot against the Shah discovered recently, for which several high officials have been arrested, was so well arranged, according to details just revealed, that it would probably have succeeded if a leak had not developed just before it was to have been carried out.

Not only was the Shah, Reza Khan Pahlavi, to be assassinated, but the Crown Prince, many high military officers and some members of the national assembly were to have been put to death. Simultaneously the plotters intended to seize Tehran and form a new government. Among those arrested are Colonel Fulaidin, commander of a division of Cossacks; Major Rehalah Khan, formerly aide to the Shah; Dr. Amir Khan, a former member of the assembly; and a man named Hayerem. These four were seized while they were holding a secret meeting.

There are rumors that Fulaidin and Rehalah have been shot by order of the Shah at military headquarters outside the city, but this has not been confirmed. A strict censorship prevails.

MARSHAL SUN'S MEN APPROACH WUCHANG

Meanwhile Starvation Invades Dejected City—Women and Children Allowed to Depart

HANKOW, Oct. 2.—Hundreds are reportedly dying miserably of hunger and cold in Wuchang, where northern troops for more than a month have withstood the siege of the red forces from Canton. Those dying are civilians, little interested in the success or failure of the opposing military chieftains. The soldier defenders have taken possession of the little food remaining.

The contending factions have shown some mercy to civilians, women and children are to be permitted to cross the Yangtze River to Hankow. The fate of Wuchang appears to lie with Marshal Sun-Chuan-Fang, the troops of this powerful ally of Marshal Wu Pei Fu and ruler of East Central China, have advanced within thirty-five miles of the city to relieve Wu's defending soldiers. If Sun's men can thrust aside the opposing Cantonese, they may reach the city in time to prevent its fall.

METHOD OF LIMITING ARMAMENTS IS PUZZLE

Preparatory Committee Abandons Plan of Measuring by Expenditure Made in Each Country

GENEVA, Oct. 1.—The experts of the preparatory disarmament committee failed to reach an agreement today as to whether it is practicable to limit armaments by limiting national budgetary expenditures. The delegates of the United States, Argentina, Sweden, Holland, Germany and Italy, among others, have advanced the impracticable, inequitable, and hence inadmissible. The committee therefore dropped the question and took up the thesis that importance should be given to such factors as population and national resources in drafting the scale of armament permissible to the various countries.

Great Britain, the United States, Germany, France, Italy, Poland and Rumania agreed on a common text in answer to this question to serve as a basis for discussion.

Mr. Meighen Is to Attend Conference Coming in Ottawa

TORONTO, Oct. 1.—Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, leader of the Conservative party, met Conservative members of the House of Commons for Toronto and York seats at an informal gathering here this afternoon and discussed the results of the recent general election.

Mr. Meighen had nothing to say about the leadership of the party other than he intended taking a long rest from public life. He would attend the gathering of Conservatives in Ottawa on October 11, he stated. It was the general view of the gathering that the Liberals in certain untimely ridings had brought out hundreds of votes which had not been polled in 1925.

New Zealand Premier Reaches San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 1.—Premier J. G. Coates of New Zealand arrived here today en route to London to attend the Imperial Conference of British nations. He left for Los Angeles tonight after having attended a luncheon given in his honor by business and professional men.

FLAMING STEAMSHIP IS RACING FOR PORT

Fire Raging in Her Hold and Deck Plates Buckling With Heat, New Britain Sends Message

SAVANNAH, Ga., Oct. 1.—With flames raging in her hold and her deck plates buckling with the intense heat, the American freighter New Britain tonight was racing for port at Charleston, S.C., with the coast-guard cutter Seneca standing by. She is expected to reach there at 5 o'clock tomorrow morning.

At 3 p.m. the naval radio station here received a message from the burning vessel saying she was 100 miles from Charleston. Nothing was said as to the progress of the flames that hour, but in response to queries her wireless operator declared no one was "badly injured." The cause of the fire, he added, had not been determined.

OCTOBER 10 IS DATE SET FOR TERMINATION OF BOYCOTT AT CANTON

CANTON, China, Oct. 2.—The Foreign Affairs Minister of the Canton government, states in a newspaper interview that the boycott which has been in force against foreign shipping for more than a year positively will end by October 10 at the latest. Foreign opinion in China is so far as the probability of the boycott's being terminated by that date.

It is said that disbandment of the strikers, who have had a semi-military organization with salaried officers and monetary allowances to the rank and file, will take place gradually, depending on financial resources and employment vacancies which can be made available to the strikers by the government. The government is undertaking to guarantee placing those who abandon the strike in employment or otherwise providing for their sustenance.

Ormonist Brought Into Trial of Mrs. McPherson

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 1.—The name of Ormonist, the missing radio man, former wireless operator at the Temple, was linked to that of Mrs. McPherson, a sister to the latter's home in the fashionable Ambassador Hotel last year, in evidence given by Agnes Cullahan, chambermaid at the hotel.

The maid said that Mrs. McPherson had come to the Ambassador at least six times during the summer and fall of 1925, that at least six times she had seen Ormonist at the hotel. She identified Ormonist from photographs. Without delay District Attorney Keyes marshalled a corroborating witness to the witness box, Albert L. Denman, assistant manager of the Ambassador. He said that he had seen Mrs. McPherson in the hotel many times.

He looked at a picture of Ormonist and then testified that it resembled very much a man he had seen on the third floor of the hotel during Christmas week last year.

AUTOMOBILE STAGE DRIVER TAKES RISK

Said to Have Tried to Beat Train to Crossing—Was Killed and Three Badly Injured

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 1.—Six men were killed and three seriously injured when an automobile stage of the California Transit Company, travelling from Oakland to Sacramento, smashed into the engine of the Overland Limited, the Southern Pacific Company's train, at Dixon, at 11:15 a.m. today.

The dead: T. Martin Placerville; J. J. Swadley, Woodland; J. H. Brodick, address unknown, and three unidentified men. Thomas Parr, the driver of the stage, was first reported killed, but he was later located in a hospital, suffering from injuries which may result fatally.

Most of the dead were terribly mangled, it being necessary to extricate four of them from under the engine. In its official report the company said that Parr drove his stage under a lowered gate which was holding up traffic to stop traffic while the limited sped by.

JUDGE AWARDS \$25,000 TO SEAMAN FOR INJURY

SEATTLE, Oct. 1.—The United States must pay William Wallace, aged seaman, \$25,000 for injuries received June 20, 1924, when he was working on the Shipping Board vessel West Gambo, Federal Judge Nether ruled here today.

Wallace sued the Government and the Draper Engine Works Co., which employed him. The judge ruled that the contractor fulfilled its liability by giving the seaman a safe place in which to work and that responsibility for the accident rested with the company.

Trojan Star Arrives in Port From Mud Bank

VANCOUVER, Oct. 1.—The S.S. Trojan Star, of the Blue Star Line, arrived here tonight little the worse for her enforced stay of ninety-four hours on the mud of Roberts Bank, where she grounded Monday. The vessel was pulled off this afternoon by two tugs.

Itinerant Hospital

Medical attention for natives of Alaska living in isolated communities is now afforded by a hospital ship equipped for emergency treatment and in charge of a competent physician. Scattered groups in remote places along the Yukon and its tributaries, from the Canadian border to St. Michael, are reached during the summer months, when navigation is possible. Permanence of the new service is assured by a recent congressional appropriation.

Laundry Collector—"Morning, sir." "Timid Customer—"Ah, good morning. I—don't want to complain, but could I have a little more shirt on my cuffs when they come back next time?"

A man with a funny story had visited a dozen newspaper offices, at all of which his joke had been declined. He plodded wearily homeward. "There is such a thing as carrying a joke too far," he said.



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DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE IS ON BANK OF MONTREAL COMMITTEE IN LONDON

MONTREAL, Oct. 1.—It is announced today that the Duke of Devonshire has accepted the appointment of chairman of the London advisory committee of the Bank of Montreal.

Von Kluck Rose Fancier

The one former German army officer who most nearly approaches to having turned his sword into a ploughshare is Gen. Alexander von Kluck, who directed the first German cavalry operations in the Battle of the Marne. Passers-by going to work in the morning never fail to see the eighty-year-old veteran at work in his rose garden in the Summer colony of the Greenwald on the outskirts of Berlin. He rises at 4.30; puts on an old suit of clothes and

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NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, on the

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British Columbia, from the City of

Victoria, to the City of Nanaimo, the

land described as Parcel 10 of Section

10, Township 12 North, Range 10 East, of

the Esquimalt District, in the Province

of British Columbia, from the City of

Nanaimo, to the City of Victoria, British

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DAVID L. CRANE, Registrar of the Victoria Land

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Finance and Commerce

NO STRONG CURRENT IS SHOWN IN MARKET

Professional Traders Are Only Partially Successful in Advancing or Lowering Prices

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Speculators for the advance endeavored to rally today's stock market by bidding up United States Steel common and General Motors, which showed gains of 1/4 and 1/2 points respectively, but were only partially successful. Large blocks of these industrial favorites were taken at rising prices and both closed at their high figures. Steel at 15 1/2, and Motors at 14 1/2, but weak spots cropped out in various sections of the list, with the result that final quotations disclosed some irregularity. Maintenance of the four per cent redemptive rate by the New York Federal Reserve Bank temporarily set at rest fears of an immediate credit stringency and was believed to be the main fact beyond the buying movement. Call money which closed at the year's high level of 6 per cent yesterday renewed at 5 1/2 per cent and held steady at that figure all day.

Strength of General Motors, which touched a new high for the present stock, contrived with the weakness of Mack Trucks, which broke nearly five points and then rallied feebly.

Revival of activity and strength in the copper shares, based on rumors that the dividend on Kennecott would be increased this month was one of the day's features.

Speculative interest in the rail group was confined to a few issues, all up 2 to 4 1/2 points.

Total sales, 1,848,700 shares.

Revival of activity in foreign obligations featured today's bond trading, which reflected the relief in investment circles over the retention of the four per cent Federal Reserve rate for another week in the face of stiff money. Domestic bonds headed upward in the early dealings but week-end readjustments later reduced some of their gains.

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Foreign exchange rates were quiet today.

London—100 lbs. 100.00

Paris—100 francs 100.00

Germany—100 marks 100.00

Sweden—100 kronor 100.00

Norway—100 kroner 100.00

Denmark—100 kroner 100.00

Switzerland—100 francs 100.00

Austria—100 schillings 100.00

Czechoslovakia—100 korunas 100.00

Poland—100 zlotys 100.00

Yugoslavia—100 dinars 100.00

Romania—100 lei 100.00

Greece—100 drachmas 100.00

Turkey—100 liras 100.00

India—100 rupees 100.00

Ceylon—100 rupees 100.00

Sri Lanka—100 rupees 100.00

Malaya—100 dollars 100.00

Singapore—100 dollars 100.00

Batavia—100 guilders 100.00

Sourabaya—100 guilders 100.00

Manila—100 pesos 100.00

Cebu—100 pesos 100.00

Iloilo—100 pesos 100.00

Baguio—100 pesos 100.00

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—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

Women's and Misses' Middies
Anniversary Price, Each, \$2.95Middies of excellent grade jean, made in regulation style, with long sleeves and detachable navy blue flannel collars and cuffs. Yoke effects, with neat set-in pockets at sides and slots for ties. Sizes 16 to 20. Each. **\$2.95**

—Blouses, 1st Floor

Brushed Wool Cardigans
Anniversary Price Today, \$4.75Cardigans of all-wool, brushed finish, plain styles, light weight, with two pockets and five-button fasteners. Shades are fawn and grey. Each **\$4.75**

—Sweaters, 1st Floor

Women's Hosiery
At Anniversary PricesWomen's Pointed Heel Silk Hose, very neat fitting hose that give a slender line to the ankle. They are reinforced at heels and toes, and are silk over the knee. Many shades to select from. Regular \$2.00 values, a pair. **\$1.29**Women's Ribbed Silk and Wool Hose, all-wool yarns interwoven with fibre silk in contrasting color, giving a smart two-tone effect in fawn and nude. A pair. **\$1.75**Plain Knit All-Wool Cashmere Hose, seamless throughout, with narrow ankles, double soles and stretchy tops; black, brown, bamboo, camel, silver, dove and fawn. A pair. **\$1.25**Ribbed Top Silk and Wool Hose, warm and comfortable to wear; shown in two-tone effect and seamless throughout; black, grey and fawn. A pair. **98c**Women's "Out-Size" Hose, wider than ordinary sizes; very comfortable to wear; give splendid service. Sizes 9, 9½, 10 and 10½. A pair. **\$1.00**English Ribbed All-Wool Cashmere Hose, knit seamless in fancy rib; black, brown, suede, putty, camel, fawn and woodash. At a pair. **\$1.50**Heavy English "Full Fashioned" All-Wool Hose, knit in a 2-and-1 rib; fine serviceable quality that will prove satisfactory. Price, a pair. **\$1.75**Women's Cashmerettes Hose, stretchy leg, and hemmed tops, narrow ankles and neat fitting. Shown in black, brown, fawn and grey. Sizes 8½ to 10½. Pair. **50c**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Fall and Winter MILLINERY**At Anniversary Prices**Matrons' and Misses' Hats in an assortment of most alluring styles that will appeal to the discriminating woman. There are hats of velvet, satin and silk combination, in all popular colorings, and black. At **\$4.95, \$5.95 and \$6.95**The new Fall turbans show the influence of the close fitting, high, draped crowns. They are masterpieces and will appeal at once to the woman who enjoys wearing something entirely different. So reasonably priced, upwards from **\$6.95**Wonderful variety of felt hats priced upwards from **\$3.95**

—Millinery, 1st Floor

Corselettes and Brassieres**Two Anniversary Bargains**Corselettes of satin striped cotton, made long over the hips, with two sections of elastic at each side, boned across diaphragm, finished with four hook supporters. Special at **\$2.75**Pink Satin Striped Brassieres, bandette style; back hook with section of elastic at sides. Anniversary bargain, **20c**

—Corsets, 1st Floor

INFANTS' COATS**Anniversary Bargain for Today**Coats of plain tweed or blanket serge, smart styles for the tiny tots; button high at the neck with neat turn-down collar. Sizes for 1 and 2 years: in brown, sand, blue, grey, wine and navy. Anniversary Price **\$2.00**White Coats of English bear cloth, made to button high at the neck and finished with small or large collar, trimmed with silk braid and pearl buttons. Sizes for 6 months to 1½ years. Special at **\$3.50**

—Infants' Wear, 1st Floor

**Girls' Fall Coats**
Three Big Offerings at Anniversary PricesFur-trimmed coats of velours and blanket cloth, smart style for the ages of 6 to 8 years. Anniversary Values at **\$7.95**Coats of fine fabric in shades of sage, fawn, wood tones and Chanel red. All smart styles with effective fur trimmings. Sizes for 9 to 11 years at **\$8.95 to \$9.95**Exceptionally smart fur-trimmed coats for the bigger girls from 12 to 14 years. All nice shades and styles. Anniversary Values at **\$11.95**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

CURTAIN NETS**Priced Remarkably Low for Our Anniversary Event**Curtain Nets, 36 inches wide, lace and scalloped edges; good designs: white, ivory or ecrú. A yard. **20c**Curtain Nets, 40 inches wide; flat and all-over styles; lace edges: white, ivory or ecrú. A yard. **50c**Curtain Nets, 42 and 45 inches wide. Extra fine quality; white, ivory or ecrú; plain or lace edges. On sale, a yard. **65c**

—Drapery, 2nd Floor

Bed Outfits**At Anniversary Prices****A Time for Great Economy**White Enamel Beds, 4 ft. 6 in. only, with brass knobs, 1 1/2-inch pillars, five fillers, and each fitted with double woven reinforced spring and jute felt mattress, covered with art ticking. The three pieces complete for **\$17.50**

—Furniture, 2nd Floor

Daylight Electric UnitFor Kitchen Ceiling
Regular \$3.95. On Sale for **\$2.45**Daylight Kitchen Unit, so constructed to give good light without glare. It has 10-inch opal globe, receptacle and holder finished in white enamel or brass. A perfect ceiling light at a low price. Regular \$3.95 for **\$2.45**

—Hardware, Lower Main Floor

Dress Goods**At Anniversary Prices Today**38-Inch Wool Repps, a hard wearing material that makes up well in dresses. Shades are navy, powder blue, green, tan, brown, mulberry, mauve, bois de rose. On sale a yard **\$1.50**40-Inch Navy Serge, all wool, and practical for children's dresses. At a yard **98c**31-Inch Striped Flannel for dresses. Shades are navy, henna, purple, powder blue, Copenhagen, rosewood, grey, red, oakwood and sunrise grounds. Great value at, a yard **60c**54-Inch Check Gabardine. Good grade, and in shades green, brown, tan, black, grey, taupe, powder blue and navy. Anniversary Price, a yard **\$1.98**

—Dress Goods, Main Floor

Sale of Children's Books, Etc.**Big Anniversary Values**The Boys' Budget Book: The Girls' Budget Book. New books for the ages of 10 to 12 years. Containing good stories, and well illustrated. Good type, 160 pages. Anniversary Price, each **50c**A Table of Picture and Story Books, all new stock and great value. Each **\$1.00**During the first days of the Anniversary event we will sell reprints at **79c**

A Large Selection

Wilton RugsSize 6 ft. 9 in. x 9 ft.—An Anniversary Bargain, Each **\$35.00**An extra special value is offered in these Wilton rugs of practical size. They are shown in very choice designs, and the quality assures service and satisfaction. Anniversary Price, each **\$35.00**

—Carpets, 2nd Floor

GlovesTravelers' Samples
Values to \$4.50—For Anniversary**\$1.95**Sample Gloves in Novelty French Kid, Cape Skin and Fleece-Lined Mocha. They are slightly soiled, but otherwise in perfect condition. Values to \$4.50 for **\$1.95**

—Gloves, Main Floor

Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs

Regular 25c Each—For

15cCrepe de Chine Handkerchiefs, with black printed borders, in ten different designs and twelve colorings. Regular 25c each. On sale for **15c**

—Handkerchiefs, Main Floor

**Silks at Anniversary Prices**36-Inch plain and fancy crepes. Makes most economical dresses; looks well, wears well, and shown in plain shades, stripes or figured effects. Regular price, a yard, 98c. On sale for **49c**36-Inch Figured Silks in novelty patterns and colorings. Suitable for afternoon dresses or trimmings. On sale at a yard **98c**40-Inch Figured Crepe de Chine, in fancy patterns and attractive colorings. Makes ideal dresses. Regular a yard, \$3.98. On sale for **\$1.98**36-Inch Black Duchesse Satin of heavy texture and rich sheen. On sale, a yard **\$1.29**21-Inch Twill Velveteen. Reliable in every way and with close pile. Shades navy, white, green, brown, fawn, grey, rose, Copenhagen, red, taupe, tan and purple. On sale at a yard **\$1.00**36-Inch Wash Satin. Good grade and launders well. Shades are pink, white, mauve, black, green and blue. Yard. **\$1.98**

—Silks, Main Floor

Girls' Silk Knit Party Dresses at \$5.95Silk Knit Party Dresses in a great assortment of dainty shades, including almond green, rose, rosewood, lemon, sage, fawn and scarlet. Smart styles with narrow ribbon ruching and flowers, or Val. lace trimmings. Anniversary value at **\$5.95**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

Specially Featuring Women's Fashionable Footwear at \$5.00 to \$8.00Women's Sport Oxfords. We can show you a very large selection of this very popular style, in black calf, tan calf, patent leather; some in plain leathers or with reptile or contrasting trimmings. A big range at **\$5.00** and **\$6.00**All-Alligator Sport Oxfords at **\$7.00**Tan Calf and Black Calf Brogue Oxfords at a pair. **\$5.00**Patent, Tan or Gunmetal Tomboy Oxfords at **\$6.00**

Women's and Misses' Invictus Shoes at \$5.00

This splendid make is really wonderful value, and we can show you many wanted styles. Black or brown calf Oxfords, strap pumps, in patent, black and brown kid, Cuban or low heels, and all have Gobydew welted soles and are carried in A to D widths.

Women's Novelty Shoes Specially Purchased for Our

October Event

We are featuring a very large range of ultra-stylish shoes in this price range. Styles that are authentic and lasts that fit. Patent leather shoes are increasing in favor. Pretty ties, strap pumps and fancy Oxfords, either all patent or with novelty leather trimmings.

Patent Three-Eyelet Ties, low heel and lizard trim, at **\$5.00**Patent Fancy Oxfords, Spanish heels **\$6.00**Patent Strap Pumps with Cuban or spike heels, at **\$7.00**

And a Great Many Others

**SHOE BARGAINS****On the Bargain Highway**

Several new lines of children's shoes have been added to the already crowded bargain tables in this section for today. Up-to-date shoes in all styles and sizes for women and misses, and work or dress boots and Oxfords for men, complete the wonderful assortment. If you are looking for a bargain in shoes a visit will repay you.

Nothing Over

\$3.95

—Lower Main Floor

Anniversary Offerings in StationeryBoxes of English Stationery, original designs; pretty colorings. At a **\$1.00 to \$4.00**Dainty Boxes of Stationery, Regular up to 75c, for **39c**Correspondence Cards, Values to \$1.00, for **49c**

—Stationery, Main Floor

Men's Suits**New Style Models, Anniversary Values at****\$15.00 and \$20.00**Suits for young men and conservative dressers, of good grade tweeds and rough serges; double or single-breasted; stylish models for Fall, and well tailored. Sizes 33 to 36 for young men; 36 to 44 for larger men. Anniversary Price, a suit, **\$15.00****Men's Suits—Many With Two Pairs of Pants**Suits that are unbeatable values at the price. Made from hard wearing tweeds and worsteds, in newest models and latest shades; browns, greys, herringbones, pin stripes and fancy tweeds. Many of these suits have two pairs of pants. Sizes 34 to 44. Anniversary Price **\$20.00**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

**Men's Overcoats, \$16.00 and \$20.00**Well-Tailored Overcoats, of medium and heavy weight cloths, in shades greys, fawn, lovat and browns. They have large roll collars and are modeled in double-breasted styles with half or full belts. All sizes. Anniversary Price, **\$16.00**Hundreds of Overcoats, made from heavy and medium weight overcoatings; with roll collar and single and double-breasted; full lined. Shades are lovat, browns, blue, grey and fancy checks. Sizes 34 to 46. Anniversary Price **\$20.00**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor